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WASHINGTON.

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The House Banking Committee and its Inflation Bill.

Wants of the Whiskey Distillers.

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Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 8.

NEUTRALITY BILL.

The Cuban struggle in the Senate Foreign Committee is over for the present, and the committee, through Mr. Morton, to-day reported what may be looked upon as its ultimatum. The bill simply prohibits the fitting out of vessels in this country by any foreign power for war upon colonies claiming independence, and action in fitting out such vessels is made a misdemeanor, punishable by fine and imprisonment. The bill does not apply in terms to Spain and Cuba, but its passage last winter would have prevented them from sending gunboats in this country last summer. It has nothing whatever to do with the state of belligerency or insurrections, and comes a long way short of what the Cubans and their sympathizers have been trying to get. It does not benefit Cuba to any considerable extent, as Spain has probably got all the vessels she wants. The first section of the original bill, which prohibited the buying of arms and munitions of war, was cut out by the committee; the adaptation of that might have been of some advantage to the Cubans.

AFFAIRS IN CUBA.

The last mail from Havana brought reports to the State Department, which will probably be made public at the proper time. It is understood to show more complete demoralization in the insurgents' camps than has ever heretofore prevailed.

THE GEORGIA BILL.

The Georgia question is settled, so far as the House is concerned. The struggle among Republicans was over the idea embodied in Bingham's amendment. Governor Bullock and his friends had set up and argued before the Judiciary Committee and the Reconstruction Committee that the terms of office to which persons were elected in the fall of 1868 would not begin until the present bill, or one of a similar tenor, became a law; or, in other words, that no service in any office up to this time should be counted. Bingham's amendment was a denial of this claim, and provided that there shall be no extension of the term of office beyond the period fixed in the constitution, and that a new Legislature shall be chosen at the proper date next fall. General Butler and the Reconstruction Committee were beaten on this issue, and the House, by a vote of 114 to 71, sustained Bingham's position, the affirmative being made up by 51 Democrats and 63 Republicans. The bill was then passed by a party division. Bullock and his friends, a considerable number of whom are here, are a good deal disgusted at the adoption of Bingham's proposition, and will, probably, try to defeat it in the Senate; but their chances for success there are not favorable.

THE INFLATION SCHEME.

The Banking and Currency Committee had a good deal of debate at its meeting this morning, on the question as to what should be done under Longbridge's inflation instruction. The majority voted to report squarely for an additional fifty millions of greenbacks to the present circulation, but the minority are in favor of meeting the order with a bill adding that amount to the National bank circulation, with a proviso that it shall go into the South and West. The report will not be made till next week. By that time it is possible the minority view may have gained strength enough to command a majority vote in the committee.

THE NASHVILLE POST OFFICE.

The Senate spent an hour and a half in executive session to-day, considering the nomination of Hopkins for the Post Office at Nashville. He was strongly supported, but Fowler, father-in-law of the present incumbent, made a point that the custom of the Senate was to defer, as a matter of personal courtesy to the Senator recognized as the dispenser of patronage for the district in question. [illegible] Fowler was enabled to carry the matter against the President and nearly half of the Senate. In this case [illegible] Hopkins. The last case of the kind was that [illegible] insisted that his son-in-law should be [illegible] Agent at Knoxville, instead of Ricks. Previous to that Ross was supported by the Senate in claiming that a nomination by the President which was distasteful to him should be rejected.

THE WHISKEY INTEREST.

The Financial Committee of the Senate to-day heard the whiskey men from the West against the bill of the House, which grants two years' extension for the withdrawal of the whiskeys, and imposes an additional tax of one per cent per gallon for every month of extension. The argument to-day was that this additional tax was too high and should not be over a quarter of one cent per gallon. The committee seemed inclined to agree on half a cent and an extension of but one year.

LOSS OF GOVERNMENT STORES ON THE MISSOURI RIVER.

The statement from the War Department to the Senate relating to the losses of steamers and government stores on the Missouri River, above Omaha, shows that the destruction of the steamer Carrie in April, 1868, resulted in the loss of army stores valued at $47,665; the steamer Bridgeport, in June, 1868, loss of $10,420, and steamer Lacon, in July, 1869, with loss of $3,269.

THE JULIAN-REID ELECTION CASE.

John S. Reid, contestant against Julian, asked the Committee on Elections to-day to authorize him to send for a prominent Republican of his district, to testify that Mr. Julian informed him on a certain day after the election that he had been over to Centreville, and fixed up matters so far as the certified returns were concerned, and that this, with his strong position on the floor of the House, would carry him through. The testimony of the contestants is partially printed. Returns of the canvassers for the South poll show that Julian ran 201 votes behind his ticket and Reid 151 ahead of his; that the precinct was thrown out on motion of Julian by a vote of 11 to 4 of the Board of Canvassers, but that this board ordered two returns to be certified, one with the South poll included, and one with it excluded. The former was not done, and on the recorded vote of this poll the election turned.

RECONSTRUCTION OF TENNESSEE.

The Reconstruction Committee this morning considered the question of the power of Congress to interfere with the State Government of Tennessee. Messrs. Maynard and Arnell were before the committee, and made statements in regard to the condition of affairs in Tennessee, but the committee adjourned without any definite action. General Butler, Chairman of the committee, it is stated, had no doubt of the power of Congress in the premises.

THE PORT OF ENTRY BILL.

The House Committee on Commerce have finally agreed to report a bill for the transportation of imported goods in bulk. Louisville and Port Huron were added to the bill, and the matter will come before the House as soon as the committee is called.

TO THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.

COLONEL BAKER'S AFFAIR WITH THE PIEGANS.

It appears, from documents sent to the House to-day, that General Sheridan, in October last, wrote to the Adjutant General, suggesting a blow at the Indian [illegible] winter. The plan was approved by General Sherman, and the attack on the Piegan Indians was [illegible] Baker's force [illegible] the rest of the tribe fled.

INDIAN AFFAIRS GENERALLY.

The President, in a communication to the House, encloses a communication from the Secretary of the Interior, relative to the obligations of Congress to make the necessary appropriations to carry out the Indian treaties made by the Peace Commissioners in 1867. The President earnestly desires that if an Indian war becomes inevitable the government at least will not be responsible for it. "Peace will," he says, "be taken and force used to prevent the departure of the expeditions referred to by the Secretary of the Interior." The Secretary, in his communication, says: "From the extreme northern border of Mexico complaints of white men call a lack of faith come from all tribes. Major General Stanley, writing from Dakota, says he is ashamed longer to appear in the presence of the Chiefs of different tribes of Sioux, who inquire why we are not doing as we promised in 1867, and is [illegible] them when telling them to come [illegible] to confer on them. In Wyoming a [illegible] band of white men is prepared to move into the Big Horn region to prospect for mines despite the [illegible] of the military authorities that the country is reserved for the use of Indians. In Colorado similar expeditions [illegible] numbers, are preparing to enter [illegible] in New Mexico a portion of the [illegible] settled at the [illegible] made for the location of their reservation, and say they have been deceived. In Kansas the Osages are incensed at the encroachments of white settlers [illegible] from every quarter [illegible] that uncertainty in regard to the policy to be pursued by the government, especially in reference to the treaties made [illegible] produced a general disorganization [illegible] the Indians, and the Indians upbraiding the whites with breach of faith."

The Secretary expresses the belief that a fair investigation would show that it is unjust to put the whole blame on the savages. He says: "The cause of all our difficulty with the wild tribes is the fact that civilized settlements are constantly narrowing the boundaries of their hunting grounds, crowding them out of regions which they have by immemorial tradition regarded as their own; whilst no thoroughly consistent good faith is kept in redeeming promises [illegible] to them as a condition of their [illegible] to the new order of things." The Secretary recommends the adoption of Congress [illegible] the necessity of an immediate [illegible] of the purposes of the government [illegible] subject of Indian treaties, and to conclude as to which may be likely to [illegible] "If I were to waive all the [illegible] objections of a Christian [illegible] such circumstances, I think it would [illegible] clear that, as a mere question of economy, it will be cheaper to [illegible] Indian now [illegible] his natural life, while their children are [illegible] to self-support by agriculture, than it would be to carry on a general Indian war for a single year. The shocking barbarities and [illegible] of dead prisoners, which are [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible]

TEXAS RATIFIES THE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

Secretary Belknap has received a despatch from Texas to-day announcing the ratification by the Legislature of the Thirteenth, Fourteenth, and Fifteenth Amendments to the Constitution of the United States, and their Senators-elect. [illegible] was the bearer to Washington of the official ratification.

TENNESSEE RECONSTRUCTION.

WASHINGTON, March 8.—The Reconstruction Committee this morning considered the question of the power of Congress to interfere authoritatively in Tennessee to remedy the alleged dangerous condition of affairs there, but adjourned without definite action. [illegible]

THE M'GARRAGHAN CASE.

The House Judiciary Committee heard further arguments in the McGarrahan case by C. P. Shaw, of New York, who charged that fraud, perjury, and forgery had been freely employed to mislead the Supreme Court and influence its decision against the claim of McGarrahan.

[illegible] LANDS.

The House was engaged during the morning hour in considering the bill reported from the Committee on Public Lands, providing that public lands [illegible] shall be subject to actual settlement [illegible] After some debate, [illegible] This is regarded as a defeat of those who are opposed to land subsidies to railroads, &c.

THE SOUTHERN PACIFIC.

The Pacific Railroad Committee has agreed to report favorably on the Senate bill granting right of way to the Missouri Pacific Railroad from Nebraska City to Lincoln, the capital of Nebraska. It also heard arguments in favor of the Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railroad.

FORTY-FIRST CONGRESS.

WASHINGTON, March 8.

SENATE.

NEUTRALITY BILL.

Mr. MORTON, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, reported the following bill, making it a misdemeanor to fit out or equip ships of war with intent that they shall be employed in the service of any European Prince or State for the purpose of subduing American colonies claiming independence, and providing for the forfeiture of such ship or vessel:

Be it enacted, &c. That if any person shall, within the limits of the United States, fit out, arm, or equip, or attempt to fit out, arm, or equip, or procure to be fitted out, armed, or equipped, or shall knowingly have been concerned in the fitting out, arming or equipping of any ship or vessel with intent that such ship or vessel be employed in the service of any European Prince or State for the purpose of subduing American colonists claiming independence, or shall issue or deliver a commission within the territory of the United States for any ship or vessel, with intent that she may be employed as aforesaid, every person so offending shall be guilty of misdemeanor, and, upon conviction thereof, shall be fined in any sum not exceeding $5,000, and imprisonment for a period not exceeding two years nor less than six months; and every such ship or vessel, with her tackle, apparel, and furniture, together with all materials, arms, ammunition, and stores which may have been procured for the building and equipping thereof, shall be forfeited, one-half to the use of the informer, and the other half to the use of the United States.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That in every case where a ship or vessel shall be fitted out, armed, or equipped, or attempted to be fitted out, armed, or equipped, contrary to the provisions of this act, it shall be lawful for the President of the United States, or such person as he shall have empowered for that purpose, to employ the land or naval forces, or the militia of the United States, or any part thereof, for the purpose of taking possession of and detaining any such ship or vessel.

FRONTIER COMMERCE.

Mr. CHANDLER, from the Committee on Commerce, reported, without amendment, a bill to regulate the foreign and coasting trade on the northern, northeastern, and western frontier of the United States. It provides that masters of enrolled and licensed vessels engaged in said trade, shall make oath and duplicate manifests, and after obtaining a clearance, keep one in which to enter the cargo taken on board or discharged at intermediate American ports where they may touch, without being required to report the same until arriving at the port where the unloading of the cargo is completed. After touching at a place in a collection district where there is no Custom House, reports shall be made in the same manner at the next port where there is a proper custom officer. The above provisions, however, do not apply to vessels with cargo or passengers from any foreign port, which must comply with existing law before discharging or loading the same. Steam tugs employed in said trade, shall not be required to report and clear at Custom Houses, except when towing rafts or vessels not enrolled.

The bill prescribes a new schedule of fees to be collected from masters and owners of vessels engaged in said trade, and provides penalties for violating its provisions.

BILL TO RELIEVE PUBLIC CHARITIES FROM TAXATION.

Mr. BAYARD, from the Committee on Finance, reported a bill to relieve public charities from taxation. It provides that hereafter no tax shall be levied or collected on bequests of real or personal property made for public uses of literary, educational, or charitable character, but such taxes already levied shall be collected.

RAILROAD BILL.

Mr. CORBETT introduced a bill amendatory of the act of July 25, 1866, granting lands to aid the construction of a railroad from the Central Pacific in California to Portland, Oregon. Referred to the Committee on Public Lands.

SOUTHERN WAR CLAIMS.

Mr. ABBOTT introduced a bill providing for the examination and adjustment of the claims of Southern loyalists for stores furnished to the army by a commission of three, to be organized by the President, all claims to be presented within two years, and those found just and legal to be satisfied in land scrip at the rate of $1.25 per acre. Referred to the Committee on Claims.

DECLARATORY RESOLUTION.

Mr. MCCREERY introduced a joint resolution, declaring that the act of March 2, 1867, does not apply to claims for land scrip, in satisfaction of the Virginia military land warrants for services in the Revolutionary war.

LANDS FOR FREEDMEN.

Mr. KELLOGG introduced a bill in aid of freedmen, and for the purpose of establishing the public domain in certain States into forty-acre tracts for homesteads for the colored race. Referred to the Committee on Public Lands.

THE GOLD SURPLUS.

Mr. FOWLER submitted the following resolution [illegible]:

Resolved, That, as it is apparent the currency and finances of the United States are rapidly approximating a specie basis, the Finance Committee be instructed to inquire into the expediency of directing the Secretary of the Treasury to dispose of the surplus gold in the Treasury without delay, so as to secure to the government the premium thereon.

[illegible]

By Mr. WILLIAMS—A joint resolution for the redemption of legal-tender notes of the United States. It provides that, from and after the passage of the resolution, all payments to the United States on account of duties on imports may be made, to the amount of half each payment, in legal-tender notes of the United States. Referred to the Committee on Finance.

BILL TO PROMOTE THE CIVILIZATION OF THE INDIANS.

By Mr. WILSON—To promote the civilization of the Indians and prepare them for the rights of citizenship. Providing for the appointment of five civilians, who, with the Secretary of the Interior and Commissioner of Indian Affairs, shall constitute a board, the Secretary acting as President, for the protection of friendly Indians and to promote their civilization. The board shall supervise all expenditures, visit the various tribes, examine their condition and the conduct of the superintendents, agents, and all persons appointed or permitted to live among them. It shall be the medium of correspondence between the government and the Indians concerning treaties, contracts, etc., and may remove any person in the Indian service when the interests of the United States or any of the tribes seem to require it, upon reporting the facts to the President through the Secretary of the Interior; may devise necessary codes and regulations to be submitted to Congress, and shall examine all claims in favor of or against the Indians; may also call their complaints against any officer of the government, and eject any person whose presence may be deemed detrimental to good morals, with power to call on the nearest military post for aid. It shall also assist in locating them on farms, inciting them to self-support, and inspiring them with confidence in the good intentions and good faith of the government of the United States.

Tabled, and ordered printed.

DISTRICT BILL.

Mr. Wilson also introduced a bill for the temporary relief of the District of Columbia. Referred.

HOUSE CONTINGENT EXPENSES.

Mr. MORRILL, of Maine, reported favorably the bill making appropriations for contingent expenses of the House of Representatives for the present fiscal year.

THE AFRICAN SLAVE TRADE.

The resolution previously offered by Mr. Wilson, calling upon the President for information relative to the slave trade on the African coast, was passed.

INDIAN AFFAIRS.

Mr. HARLAN called up the House joint resolution appointing a Special Committee on Indian Affairs in General, and moved to amend so as to make the committee consist of two members from each house.

A discussion ensued, and the bill finally went over.

THE FUNDING BILL.

The Funding bill was taken up. The question was on the amendment, offered by Mr. Corbett, to strike out the fifth section, making the interest on bonds payable at the United States Treasury, and in the cities of London, Paris, Berlin, Amsterdam, and Frankfort.

Mr. SHERMAN, in reply to the statement which had gone broadcast through the press of the country that the one per centum allowed to negotiate the loan was a vast corruption fund of twelve millions of dollars, referred to the difficulties in the way of the undertaking, which were greater than those attending the negotiation of previous loans. The present requirement upon the Secretary of the Treasury to sell these bonds at par in gold had not applied in other cases, as former loans were disposed of on the best terms available.

Mr. Sherman then forwarded to the Clerk and had read a letter from the Secretary of the Treasury in response to his own inquiry whether the bonds could not be negotiated at a less rate. The accurately the Secretary's inability to estimate the proposed loan, [illegible] expense of negotiating same in the United States, and issuing the firmly believed 1 per cent would, in Europe, be but large charges. He holds to the belief that the proposition to impose the work of negotiation upon the Treasury Department exclusively would prevent the department from the negotiation of the new loan. A large amount of our bonds were held in Europe, and the holders could only be reached through bankers of influence in those countries, and these, it would, be believed, be necessary to employ to negotiate the loan at a small commission.

Mr. Sherman continued, contrasting the proposed expense with the cost of the agencies for former loans. The first five-twenty loan cost us three-eighths of 1 per cent; the second, by Mr. Fessenden, in 1864, cost three-quarters of 1 per cent. So far as the loan might be absorbed by our own wants, the Secretary would perhaps be able to dispense with all kinds of domestic agencies; but it must be remembered that one thousand millions of our bonds were held in Europe, therefore the necessity of foreign agencies.

Several additional letters were read at the suggestion of Mr. Sherman. One was from the United States Consul at Amsterdam, representing that the recent Prussian loan had cost the government about 3¼ per cent. Another was from the Secretary of the Treasury, to the effect that one-half of one per cent might be sufficient to cover the whole expense; but if one per cent was allowed in Europe, then the cost would be the increase.

Mr. Sherman maintained that the 1 per cent provision should be retained; that all necessary discretion be given to the Secretary in view of the strict responsibility to which he would be held. In some cases the cost [illegible] not exceed one-eighth of 1 per cent, [illegible] countries it would be glad to act as agents of the United States without charging anything. In fact, some would be willing to pay interest on the balance left there. There was nothing in the cry that the payment of our interest abroad would be a disgrace. Our fathers thought it no disgrace to pay their interest in foreign countries. Great Britain and Prussia did not do it, for the good reason that they were already among the money-centres of Europe.

Mr. CORBETT expressed his preference for the payment of the interest in this country.

Mr. DAVIS delivered an argument in support of his motion to recommit the bill, with instructions to the committee to reduce the rate of interest on all outstanding bonds of the United States to as much as could be received on United States bonds as much for income, to reduce the appropriation for the army to a reasonable yearly cost for twenty thousand men; to reduce the aggregate appropriation for the navy to twenty millions; for the civil and diplomatic service 10 per cent, and the aggregate amount of internal tax and duties on imports, each 25 per cent.

ADJOURNMENT.

At 3:30 the Senate went into executive session and afterward adjourned.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

DAKOTA LANDS.

Mr. JULIAN reported a bill to prevent the further sale of public lands in Dakota, except under the Pre-emption and Homestead laws for the [illegible]

[illegible] yeas, 71; nays, [illegible]

EXPLANATIONS.

Mr. SCHENCK, Chairman of the Committee of Ways and Means, [illegible] correspondent of the New York [illegible] of the Regular Army at the [illegible] correspondent [illegible]

Mr. VOORHEES, rising to a personal explanation, referred to the Washington despatch in yesterday evening's *Post,* stating that the Whiskey Ring had found a [illegible] That was the first he had heard of any such investigation, and, within the last few minutes, he had [illegible] by a member of the Reconstruction Committee [illegible] had been [illegible] connection. He had no doubt the letter [illegible] at Annapolis, and that one was a son of Dr. Wm. Maxwell Wood, of the United States Navy, an officer of twenty-five years' service, who was absent in a distant part of the country at the time of his son's appointment. The boy's grandmother and uncle were residents of his own town, and if his father had a shore residence he (Voorhees) had not had his attention called to it. The House had been recently engaged in expelling some of its members. For the newspaper press and newspaper reporters, as a class, he had a very high respect, and had a personal regard for many of them, but if the sluiceways of calumny were to be thus opened by irresponsible men connected with the press, the next expulsion in order would be that slanderous and calumniating reporter from the gallery.

Mr. LOGAN, Chairman of the Military Committee, remarked that there had been no allegation of any kind against Mr. Voorhees, and no witnesses examined relating to him.

ANNOYING LOBBYISTS.

Mr. ROGERS called the attention of the Speaker to a violation of the rule which prescribed who are entitled to the privilege of the floor, and complained that he was constantly annoyed by railroad and other lobby agents.

The SPEAKER directed the Doorkeeper to see the rule enforced.

THE GEORGIA BILL.

The House then resumed consideration of the Georgia bill.

Mr. WOOD protested against the bill, declaring that it was without precedent in the national history. He said the provisions were a revolutionary, audacious, and monstrous measure.

Mr. COX also protested against the bill. He said the States of the Union had reached the very depth of humiliation in this measure. The Reconstruction Committee dictated to Congress, and the gentleman from Massachusetts (Butler) dictated to the Reconstruction Committee, so that the rights of States were all dependent upon the whims of one man. He repudiated association with either side of the Radicals in Georgia, represented in the House by Bingham, and Butler. The former embraced the bad doctrine as the latter. There was only a difference in the shading, not in outline or color. Congress had enough to do without meddling in a local wrangle or Radical plunder schemes; but the House was neglecting tariffs, taxation, and what not to discuss whether Blodgett had committed perjury or Bullock took two millions of railroad funds.

Mr. WOODWARD said he concurred in the views expressed in opposition to the bill. He did not rise, however, to discuss it, but to have read at the Clerk's desk, a letter he had received from a highly respectable gentleman in Macon, Georgia, correcting the statement by the gentleman from Massachusetts.

The letter having been read, Mr. BUTLER rose to close the debate, and proceeded to defend and advocate the bill. He referred to the various acts of the Legislature in regard to reconstruction, and argued to prove the inconsistency of the position taken by Messrs. Bingham and Farnsworth.

Mr. FARNSWORTH remarked that the gentleman from Massachusetts had done well in giving notice in the opening of his remarks that he would not submit to interruption.

Mr. BUTLER continued his argument, and reminded the House that he had withdrawn his amendment extending the term of office in Georgia, and there was nothing in the bill now touching that point. He remarked that the person whose letter Mr. Woodward had had read by the Clerk, was a pretty person to undertake to advise or lecture the House. He was a rebel, named Bacon, a member of the Agricultural State Fair Committee held recently in Macon, which had refused to permit the United States flag to be raised over the fair building, although the building itself belonged to the United States.

Mr. WOODWARD asked Mr. Butler to whom he referred.

Mr. BUTLER. To the writer of that letter—Mr. Bacon. Is he not the same man?

Mr. WOODWARD. I do not know that he is the same man at all, and I desire to say—

Mr. BUTLER (interrupting). I did not yield for the gentleman to state what he does not know. That would take too long. [Laughter.]

Mr. WOODWARD. I want to make a correction as to that flag matter.

Mr. BUTLER said he would not yield any further. The people of this country were practical, not theoretical, and would never agree that Congress should back out from this great question. They saw that Georgia had murdered her citizens, and had deprived them of their rights. They wanted peace and quiet established there. They wanted that reconstruction policy to go forward, and they would sustain the action of Governor Bullock, of General Terry, of General Grant, and of Congress in the matter of Georgia.

The question was then taken on Mr. Bingham's amendment, as follows, and it was adopted:

Provided, That nothing in this act contained shall be construed to vacate any of the offices now filled in the State of Georgia, either by election of the people or by appointment of the Governor thereof, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate of said State. Neither shall this act be construed to extend the official tenure of any officer of said State beyond the term limited by the constitution thereof, dating from the election or appointment of such officer, or to deprive the people of Georgia of the right under their constitution to elect Senators and Representatives of the State of Georgia in the year 1870, either on the day named in the constitution of said State, or such other day as the present Legislature may designate by law.

The amendment was agreed to—ayes, 114; nays, 71.

The bill, as amended, then passed. The following is the vote in detail on Bingham's amendment:

YEAS.

[illegible list of names]

Woodward—114.

NAYS.

[illegible list of names]

Van Horn—71.

The vote on the passage was a strict party vote, Mr. Bingham voted for it, Mr. Farnsworth did not vote.

Mr. BUTLER, of Mass., stated that he had voted for the bill simply because he desired the ratification of the Fifteenth Amendment, and would not be found voting on a political question in the House with Democrats.

THE PATENT OFFICE.

Mr. LAFLIN, from the Committee on Printing, reported a joint resolution to discontinue the publication of abstracts of specifications and engravings heretofore accompanying the annual report of the Commissioner of Patents, and authorizing the Commissioner to have printed for gratuitous distribution not over 100 copies of the complete specifications and engravings of each patent, one copy to be placed for free public inspection in the Capitol of every State and Territory, one in the Clerk's office of each United States District Court, and one in the library of Congress; and also such additional copies of specifications and drawings for sale as may be warranted by the demand for them. All lithographing and engraving, exceeding $250, to be awarded to the lowest and best bidder.

Mr. LAFLIN addressed the House, at length, to show the economical and other benefits to be secured by the resolution. He asserted that the resolution would save the first year over $174,000, and, if the number of patents increased for the next decade as in the past, the saving in 1880 would be over $180,000 per annum.

The matter went over until to-morrow.

PENSION BILL.

Mr. BENJAMIN, from the Committee on Invalid Pensions, reported a bill providing that the Pension act of 1866 shall not be construed to diminish the rates of pension granted in special bills. [illegible] the case of Mrs. Commodore Porter, [illegible] years ago, a pension by special act, over twenty [illegible] the Secretary of the [illegible] $50 per month, but that under the act of 1866, it had been recently decided, $30 per month could be paid. [illegible]

The bill went over until to-morrow.

ARCTIC EXPLORATION.

Mr. STEVENSON offered a resolution reciting that Captain C. F. Hall desired, in the interest of science and for the national advantage of his country, to make another voyage of exploration and discovery to the Arctic regions, and authorizing the President to furnish a steamer and tender for such voyage, and appropriating $100,000 for the expenses thereof.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Adjourned.

MICHIGAN.

Church Burned at St. Clair—Fatal Railroad Accident.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

DETROIT, March 8.

A St. Clair special of to-day to the *Tribune* says: "A fire broke out in the Baptist Church in this city at 11 o'clock last evening, and destroyed the entire building, only the organ being saved. Services were held in the church in the evening, and the fire caught from the stove."

A Grand Rapids special of to-day says: "Last evening a boy named Harry Velding, aged 9 years, was killed near the depot of the Grand River Valley Railroad, in this city, in attempting to jump from a bank to the platform of the cars of a passing train. He fell between the cars. He was horribly mutilated and died in a few minutes."

QUINCY.

Trial of Golyean, the Alleged Murderer of Rogers.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

QUINCY, Ill., March 8.

Golyean, the alleged Rogers murderer, who, by a change of venue, [illegible] trial, was taken, yesterday, to Mt. Sterling, where he is to be tried [illegible] one of the most cold-blooded murders ever perpetrated in this county, and the result of the trial will be watched for with unusual interest.

WISCONSIN.

Democratic Family Quarrel—Milwaukee's Capital Scheme—Missing Vessel Heard From—Religious.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

MADISON, March 8.

The strife between three or four of the Democrats in the Assembly as to who should have the great many honorable speeches, led last night to quite a spat between two would-be Democratic [illegible]

[illegible]

NEW YORK.

Another Day of Intense Excitement in the Gold Room.

Almost a Repetition of the September Panic.

All Branches of Trade Seriously Affected.

Closing Price of Gold, 111 3-8.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

NEW YORK, March 8.

WHISKEY FRAUDS.

The trial of ex-Judge Fullerton, for collusion with whiskey dealers, is expected to make important revelations as to the mode of defrauding the government. Two parties now in Canada offer to testify in the case if they can be guaranteed against arrest in coming here, and orders have been issued for their safe conduct. Two whiskey distillers arrived to-day from Illinois on a summons of the court, and will be called to the stand at an early day.

EXCITEMENT IN WALL STREET.

Transactions on Wall street to-day were very large, and the excitement was more general than at any time since the downward movement began. The clearances will, probably, exceed one hundred and ten millions, and some estimate them at a hundred and thirty. The Gold Room was densely crowded, and there was great confusion during the middle of the day. The bulls have suffered fearfully, and many rumors of failures are circulated. Dawson & Hopkins suspended this afternoon, and their losses will exceed half a million of dollars. Telegrams come from Washington every few minutes, and it is generally believed that prominent parties in Washington are interested in the gold speculation, and have invested largely. Operations were continued through to-night at the Fifth Avenue Hotel, but chiefly in the form of bets upon the price of gold within the next ten days. There is a feeling of great distrust in the dry goods market, and prominent jobbers are offering their stocks at lower figures, while others are holding off. Failures are predicted in the dry goods trade if the low price of gold continues, but none were reported to-day.

SAN DOMINGO.

A letter from San Domingo says the government debt increases daily, and certificates of indebtedness are issued with perfect looseness. No merchant will touch them at twenty cents on the dollar. Misery is universal and fearful. There is no money in circulation, and all business is at a stand still. The country is not disposed, or more correctly speaking, not prepared for annexation, and if it should take place now, the most disastrous results will follow.

The billiard match to-night, 1,000 points up, push shot in, between Dudley Kavanagh, ex-champion, and Maurice Daley, was won by the former. Score, 1,000 against 788.

TO THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.

ANOTHER TROUBLE IN GOLD—SCENES IN THE GOLD ROOM.

NEW YORK, March 8.—The excitement in the gold market to-day was without parallel since September last. The anxiety to sell gold assumed the shape of a mania, and its equal has never before been witnessed in the Gold Room. The indicator recorded nearly one hundred changes during the day. The scene was almost indescribable. The cry of operators was to sell, and at every successive decline of ⅛@¼ per cent, and vented their feelings in sarcasms and yells of delight. There was not a bull to be found in the room, and at times a premium was offered for the sight of a man who thought gold was cheap. The room was crowded the entire day, while on New street a large crowd watched the changes of the dial with great interest. Everywhere in financial and commercial circles the gold question was the great topic of conversation, and the continued downward course was felt through all the ramifications of business. The excitement in the Gold Room was intensified by telegrams from Washington. One telegram, that Senator Williams had introduced a resolution to receive part of the customs in greenbacks, was followed by another that Senator Fowler wanted all the surplus gold in the Treasury sold and the price tumbled to 110⅞. A telegram was next received that the House Committee on Banking had agreed to report a bill in favor of fifty millions more greenbacks, and up went the price to 111⅜. The report denied and down went the price to 111. Then it was reported that the chances for the Funding bill in the Senate was less favorable, and back went the price to 111¼. At the close 111⅛ was bid and 111¼ asked.

Greenback prices of government bonds were seriously affected, and a heavy decline took place, '67s selling down to 108, the lowest point for a long time past.

On the Stock Exchange the effect was not so great, owing to the great effort of the bull clique to prevent the stock market from sympathizing with the surrounding depression. The market at times fell off, but was prevented from breaking by the persistent effort of cliques in mercantile circles.

The decline in gold had a tendency to further unsettle business and weaken prices. This is particularly applicable to the department of dry goods, where leading jobbers are still offering bargains in all styles to induce trade. The Produce Exchange was demoralized. Wheat was heavy and lower, notwithstanding the advance in Liverpool. Flour heavy and declined. Provisions decidedly lower, with a very unsettled market, pork falling off 50 cents, and lard ⅛ cent in the open market. There was a heavy decline in cotton, and middling uplands were ½ cent lower, selling at 21¼ cents on the spot, while low middlings sold down to 19¾@19¼ cents for April and May delivery.

THE LEGAL TENDER DECISION.

NEW YORK, March 8.—The *Express* says the State Comptroller has given a careful opinion on the subject of the demands for payment in coin, by owners of mortgages held by savings banks and other institutions. His judgment is that specie payments are not required. The opinion is in reference to certain mortgages, the payment of which is demanded in coin. The same paper says a large portion of the gold bonds of the Chicago & Southwestern Railroad Company have already been marketed, and a large demand exists from Europe, particularly Amsterdam.

QUESADA.

General Quesada has written for the Cuban Junta a report of the operations of the Cuban army during the opening scenes of the war. He claims that the governments of the United States and Great Britain are ignorant of what has happened in Cuba, in consequence of the facility with which the Spaniards can disseminate false news. The General is expected in Washington to-day, and it is generally believed he will wait on the Secretary of State and present credentials as Cuban Ambassador. There is much excitement among the Cubans here and in Washington on the subject, as a number of influential members of Congress are reported to favor Quesada's pretensions.

THE M'FARLAND TRIAL.

McFarland was not present when his case was called yesterday, being represented by counsel. Mr. Graham, one of the prisoner's counsel, complained of the delays occasioned by the dilatory action of the District Attorney. He gave notice that if the trial was not immediately fixed he would apply to have his client released on bail. "The prisoner's health is suffering," said he, "and as it cannot be that his trial will result in anything but his triumphant acquittal, why should he lie in a prison?" He predicts that the trial will greatly excite the public mind, and will be without parallel in this country. A great crowd was present in the chambers, and much interest manifested in the proceedings.

THE NAVY YARD.

Seven hundred and fifty men, sailmakers and riggers, were discharged from the Brooklyn Navy Yard, its funds giving out. All work is stopped on all ships in the navy docks, except the Canandaigua, Tennessee, and Guerriere. Fifty men are employed in the ordnance department, and two on board the storeship Relief.

EVADING THE REVENUE.

Eleven prominent druggists of the city were served with process, yesterday, from the United States Court, under an indictment for a violation of the Internal Revenue law, by failing to affix stamps to bottles of imported perfumery. A fine of $50 is attached to each offence.

MINNESOTA.

The Female Suffrage Bill Vetoed by Governor Austin.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

ST. PAUL, March 8.

Governor Austin has refused to approve the Female Suffrage bill, for the reason that the clause submitting this amendment to the vote of females as well as males is unconstitutional, as females are not legal voters, and therefore incompetent to vote upon this or any other subject until their disability is removed by vote of the male voters. The Governor also objects to the proposition as being premature. As yet there is little or no evidence of any public sentiment among the people in favor of the measure, and the proposed change, and it is attempted by this act to force a question upon the people and inaugurate a campaign upon an issue which they have not made, and in which they have manifested no interest.

MISSOURI.

Undervaluation of Wine—Interesting Astronomical Observations.

ST. LOUIS, March 8.—Eight hundred boxes and ten casks of claret wine from Bordeaux, consigned to E. A. Dar & Co., of this city, were seized yesterday, for an alleged attempt to evade paying the duty, by undervaluation of the wine.

Interesting astronomical observations have been in progress at Washington University here for the past year, with a view to determining the precise geographical position of St. Louis, and several stations of the great astronomical region of southern Illinois [illegible] of the eclipse last August, near Alton, Illinois. From these data it is designed to determine the latitude of the [illegible] conducted by Mr. Tittman, of the United States Coast Survey. In the longitude observations [illegible] William Rombach, civil engineer, of this city, and are progressing.

CANADA.

Railroad Bill in Parliament—The Governor General to go to Winnipeg—Duty on American Breadstuffs.

OTTAWA, March 8.—In Parliament to-day a bill to incorporate the Detroit River Transit Company was introduced in the interest of the Great Western and Michigan Central Railroad Companies. The capital stock of the company is $2,000,000, the company to be organized as soon as $1,000,000 is subscribed, and 10 per cent paid up. The company will have power to build either a bridge over the Detroit River or construct a tunnel.

It is stated that Sir John Young, Governor General, will proceed in person to Red River, [illegible]

FOREIGN.

Organization of the Friends of Order in Paris.

Another Remarkable Speech from M. Ollivier.

Rumors and Conjectures Regarding the Œcumenical Council.

Cotton Failures Reported in Liverpool.

Great Britain.

IN PARLIAMENT.

LONDON, March 8.—In the House of Commons, to-night, the debate on the Irish Land bill continued. Maguire, member for Cork, attacked the measure, declaring it fell short of the exalted expectations of the Irish people. Leases should be protected and made transferable. Politically, the Irish tenantry were dangerous; personally, they were models of virtue. He advocated the repeal of the law of distraint, and concluded by expressing the opinion that the bill, if properly amended, would prove a benefit to the country.

G. W. Hunt, member for Northamptonshire, rejoiced at the good temper shown in the discussion, and commented at length on the provisions of the bill, approving some, and censuring others. He thought the defects might be remedied in committee.

The O'Donoghue thought that the task undertaken was really a reorganization of the social system of Ireland. There was one hopeful augury, in the fact that his voice, hitherto undevoted, was now heard.

Mr. Henry, member for Oxfordshire, discovered a source of endless litigation in the bill.

Mr. Barry, in a speech full of humor and force, showed that the tenure system of England favored the tenants, while that of Ireland favored the landlords. This inequality needed redress, an opportunity which the bill afforded. The Celts and Protestants fled to America, bearing rancorous hatred toward England. From these came the possibility of war with America. He then proceeded to defend the bill in detail.

After further debate the House adjourned.

The House of Lords, to-night, ordered the open college bill for Manchester to a second reading.

GALES AND ICE ON THE ATLANTIC.

LONDON, March 8.—Sailing vessels arriving report heavy easterly gales in the Atlantic, and vast fields of ice are floating southwardly much earlier than usual.

THE FUNDING BILL.

The *Pall Mall Gazette* applauds the funding scheme of Secretary Boutwell.

THE CAPTAIN OF THE BOMBAY DENOUNCED BY THE TIMES.

The *Times* denounces the Captain of the Bombay for proceeding after the disaster with the Oneida without positively ascertaining the damage that had been sustained by the latter.

MARINE.

LIVERPOOL, March 8.—Steamships City of Brooklyn and Tarifa, from New York, have arrived.

COTTON FAILURES IN LIVERPOOL.

NEW YORK, March 8.—A private despatch is alleged to have been received to-day by influential houses, announcing the failure of four or five leading cotton speculators of Liverpool and Manchester, with liabilities estimated at one million of pounds.

THE MORDAUNT DIVORCE CASE.

LONDON, March 8.—In the Mordaunt divorce case Lord Penzance has consented to hear in full the bench argument on the right of Sir Charles to proceed with the case, notwithstanding the decision as to Lady Mordaunt's insanity.

DIED.

Mr. Addington, formerly Chargé d'Affaires at Washington, is dead.

IRELAND TO BE AGAIN GAGGED DOWN.

DUBLIN, March 8.—The *Irish Times* asserts that the government will soon issue orders suspending again the operation of the writ of *habeas corpus* in Ireland.

Italy.

THE INFALLIBILITY QUESTION.

PARIS, March 8.—The religious organs have advices from Rome which represent that the Pope, in response to the request of a great majority of the Bishops, has distributed among the members of the council a schema proposing a definition of the dogma of infallibility, with a notice that the suggestion of the fathers on the same will be received [illegible]

Despatches from other sources add that, in consequence of the introduction of this scheme the French Government has made a demand on the Papal Court that the Special Envoy of France be permitted to assist the council; also that Cardinal Antonelli has acknowledged the receipt of the demand, and promises to answer in a few days. The Ultramontane journal, *Le Monde,* states positively that the Pope has required the Œcumenical Council to fix upon a definition of personal infallibility within a week.

France.

VIOLENT LETTER FROM ROCHEFORT.

PARIS, March 8.—The *Marseillaise* this morning publishes a violent letter from Henri Rochefort and other political prisoners.

FRIENDS OF ORDER.

PARIS, March 8.—A meeting was held last evening for the purpose of organizing a society called the Friends of Order. Several hundred people assembled. Speeches were made and resolutions adopted denouncing the recent rioting and disorder in Paris.

SPEECH BY M. OLLIVIER.

PARIS, March 8.—At a political banquet last night, M. Ollivier made a remarkable speech. He urged all political parties to give the Ministry assistance and advice, and not keep aloof because of the errors that had been or might be committed by the Ministry. He hoped the different parties would not be discouraged because mistakes had occurred, but would continue to point out improvements. He closed with the prediction that, in spite of the difficulties and accidents unforeseen, the Ministry would succeed.

A CONSCRIPT PROCESSION SING THE MARSEILLAISE.

Eight hundred conscripts to-day formed in line, and, with a crape banner at their head, marched through the streets to the publication office of *La Marseillaise,* and sung the Marseillaise, after which they quietly dispersed. The police made no attempt to interfere with the proceedings.

Mexico.

THE SITUATION.

HAVANA, March 8.—The latest accounts from the City of Mexico state that General Garcia Decedena was at Lagoo, with 3,000 men and twelve cannon, and that General Martinez was at San Felipe, with 1,000 men. The wife of General Toledo, who was captured, has been liberated by General Escobedo.

Spain.

ADMIRAL TOPETE.

MADRID, March 8.—Admiral Topete continues a member of the Cabinet.

IN THE CORTES.

The Cortes has authorized the prosecution of the Bishop of Santiago.

Several Deputies to-day endeavored to bring the question of the monarchy before the Cortes, but, at the request of Prim and Rivero, its consideration was postponed.

The budget for the Antilles is now under discussion.

THE PRINCE OF ASTURIAS AND THE POPE.

The unusual ceremony and attention with which the Prince of Asturias was received by the Pope occasions much comment here.

Austria.

PROTECTION FOR OCEAN CABLES.

VIENNA, March 8.—The Austrian Government has authorized Baron Van Lederer, its Minister at Washington, to represent Austria at the conference suggested by President Grant, for the better protection of ocean telegraphic cables.

Russia.

THE REMAINS OF ANSON BURLINGAME.

BOSTON, March 8.—The following cable despatch has been received:

ST. PETERSBURG, March 8.

Isaac Livermore, Cambridge, Mass.:

We go to Paris. I alone to America with father's remains *via* Silesia, leaving Hamburg April 6. All are well.

(Signed) EDWARD L. BURLINGAME.

NEW HAMPSHIRE ELECTION.

Stearns, Republican, for Governor, Elected by a small majority.

CONCORD, N. H., March 8.—The pleasant weather and active canvass drew out a large vote at the State election to-day. Four candidates were in the field for Governor—Onslow Stearns, Republican, and the present incumbent; John Bedel, Democrat; Sam. Flint, Labor Reform; L. D. Barrows, Temperance. For Railroad Commissioners, Chas. P. Gage, Michael L. Donohoe, George Roberts, and H. D. Pierce. Returns up to 9 o'clock are from 315 towns, which show a Republican loss of nearly 1,800. Stearns is probably elected, but his majority will not exceed 500. The result is looked upon as doubtful. About half the State is heard from, and over half the vote.

The result in some of the principal towns is: Amherst—Stearns, 194; Bedel, 99; Flint, 35; Barrows, 25. Last year, Stearns, 165; Bedel, 109. Manchester—Stearns, 1,661; Bedel, 916. Last year, Stearns, 1,708; Bedel, 1,329. Dover—Stearns, 1,053; Bedel, 574; Flint, 289; Barrows, 1. Last year, Stearns, 984; Bedel, 434. Concord—Stearns, 1,145; Bedel, 485; Flint, 260; Barrows, 44. Last year—Stearns, 1,364; Bedel, 685. Portsmouth—Stearns, 1,162; Bedel, 705; Flint, 9; Barrows, 2. Last year—Stearns, 1,114; Bedel, 860.

CONCORD, March 8, 10:30 p. m.—Returns are received from 147 towns, over two-thirds of the State: Stearns, 26,564; Bedel, 17,831; Flint, 877; Barrows, 681. Stearns' loss from last year 2,783. Stearns is probably elected by 1,000 to 1,500 majority.

The Legislature is Republican, with majority reduced from last year.

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2—THE WEST: The Mormon Question—The Legislature and Its Action—Female Suffrage and the Mormon Women—Mormon Magistrates—The Municipal Election in Salt Lake City—Home of News—Brigham Young's Fanaticism and Determination—Protection of the Gentiles and the Gentiles Necessary—The Revenue Question—Mormon Power of Resistance and Resources—The Late Fight in Montana—Official Correspondence Between Generals Sheridan and Sherman.

3—WASHINGTON: The Codetship Brokers and their Defenders—Postal Telegraph.

4—THE LOST ONEIDA: Full particulars of the collision. Her officers and her career.

5—CRIMES AND ACCIDENTS: Bloody Work in Ohio—Six Women Burned to Death in Massachusetts—A Mississippi Slaughter House—Poisoning in Michigan.

6—A FIELD DAY IN WALL STREET.

7—THE MORDAUNT DIVORCE CASE: Summary of the Evidence—Letters of the Prince of Wales.

8—PARLIAMENTARY SKETCHES: Lord Palmerston—Mr. Bright—Lord Stanley—Professor Fawcett—Mr. White—Disraeli—Sir Stafford Northcote—Lord John Manners, and Others—Mr. Gladstone.

9—FOREIGN GOSSIP.

10—LITERARY: The Greater of Miss Mitford's Letters—Rosa Brodhead's New Books, with extracts—[illegible]

11—CAPTAIN BEN'S CHOICE: A capital story, by an anonymous author, from the *Atlantic Monthly.*

12—POETRY: A Life Song—Baby Power.

13—OLD AND NEW: A column of old news.

14—WINNIPEG: The latest news from Red River.

15—EDITORIALS: The Gold Hoarding Policy, Georgia in Bonds. Silver for Change. General Garfield's Report. Railroad Aid Debts. Women on Juries. Milwaukee and Madison. The Next Transit of Venus. Notes on Current Events.

16—POLITICAL, PERSONAL, AND MISCELLANEOUS.

17—COOK COUNTY SUPERVISORS: Summary of their Doings.

18—CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION: A Full Synopsis of the Proceedings.

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GENERAL NOTICES.

PROCLAMATION.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, CHICAGO, March 8, 1870.

Whereas It has been represented to me that there are mad or rabid dogs within the city, and that the public health is thereby in danger;

Wherefore notice is hereby given, that all dogs running at large in the city of Chicago, on and after March 8, A. D. 1870, without being securely muzzled with a wire muzzle, fastened with a strap [illegible] leather straps, or chains, will be killed.

The Board of Police will give such orders and directions to the police force as [illegible] enforce this proclamation.

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The Chicago Tribune.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9, 1870.

THE COUNTY SCHOOL.

The Board of Supervisors of Cook County yesterday, based to lay of General Appropriation Bill, which was voted on last year, but has been misplaced and not found. The County Attorney was instructed to prepare an ordinance providing for the payment of the salaries of County officers, and the Committee on Claims was instructed to report a bill providing for the payment of the Criminal Court Commissioners. The Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds

THE COURTS.

Alleged Fraud on the Part of a Real Estate Agent.

Two Widows Lay Claim to One Dead Husband's Property.

The Archer Avenue Assessment—A Very Crazy Burglar.

The Market Street Garroting Case.

Superior Court.

Circuit Court at Ottawa.

Special Dispatch to The Chicago Tribune.

SPORTING MATTERS.

French Billiards—Rules of the Turf Association—Chicago Rowing Club—Pigeon Shooting.

BILLIARDS.

A match game of French caroms, for $50 a side, was played yesterday afternoon, at John McDevitt's room, between Frank Parker and Tim McCarthy, the latter ex-champion of Indiana...

THE TURF.

CHICAGO ROWING CLUB.

PIGEON SHOOTING.

"PIGEON-HOLE."

WHO IS RESPONSIBLE?

To the Editor of The Chicago Tribune:

Since my first article on the subject of special assessments appeared, I have met many who were surprised to learn that street improvements could be started and carried on to completion against the will of a majority of those who must pay their expense.

CHICAGO, March 7, 1870. E. B. BOWEN.

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To the Editor of The Chicago Tribune:

CHICAGO, March 8, 1870. INQUIRER.

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ACADEMY OF SCIENCES.

Donations to the Museum and Library—The Vertebræ Column.

Pneumatic Railways.

A meeting of the Chicago Academy of Sciences was held last evening at the museum, No. 263 Wabash avenue, Dr. E. H. Andrews in the chair, and Dr. William H. Stimpson acting as Secretary.

The following donations were reported as received since the last meeting:

DONATIONS TO THE MUSEUM.

From Dr. P. R. Hoy, twenty specimens of birds of Wisconsin.

DONATIONS TO THE LIBRARY.

THE FORT WAYNE MASTODON.

MEMBERS ELECTED.

A CURIOSITY.

THE VERTEBRÆ COLUMN.

PNEUMATIC RAILWAYS.

AN INVITATION.

THE SPECTROSCOPE.

After inspecting the instrument, the meeting adjourned.

THE "LOGICIANS."

Fourth Annual Reunion and Banquet at the Briggs House Last Evening.

REAL ESTATE.

Warranty deeds, conveying city and suburban property within seven miles of the Court House, filed for record on Tuesday, March 8.

NORTH OF CITY LIMITS.

SOUTH OF CITY LIMITS.

WEST OF CITY LIMITS.

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

MONETARY.

TUESDAY EVENING, March 8.

The local money market continues very easy.

Exchange was firm at par for sales between banks to-day. At the counter bankers sell at from par to 1-10 premium, and buy at 1-10 discount.

Sales at the Stock Board to-day were:

The following bids and offers were also made:

BANKS.

INSURANCE.

CHICAGO CITY RAILROADS.

The range of gold in New York, to-day, was:

LATEST.

COMMERCIAL.

TUESDAY EVENING, March 8.

The following table shows the receipts and shipments of produce at this point during the past twenty-four hours:

The following grain has been received since the above table of receipts was made up:

The following were the daily sales of the leading breadstuffs during the past week:

The following were the closing prices:

The following are the totals as reported, with the comparative figures for one week, and one year ago:

LATER.

CHICAGO DRY GOODS MARKET.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

TUESDAY EVENING, March 8.

HOG SALES TO-DAY.

CATTLE SALES TO-DAY.

WEEKLY REVIEW OF THE CHICAGO DAILY MARKET.

TUESDAY EVENING, March 8.

New York Wool Market.

Special Dispatch to The Chicago Tribune.

New York Dry Goods Market.

The Produce Markets.

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MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

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See Journal of Pharmacy.

See Remarks made by Dr. Ephraim McDowell, a celebrated Physician, and member of the Royal College of Surgeons, Ireland, and published in the transactions of the King and Queen's Journal.

See Medico-Chirurgical Review, published by Benjamin Travers, Fellow of Royal College of Surgeons, London.

See Prof. Dewees' valuable works on the Practice of Physic.

See remarks made by the late celebrated Dr. Physick, Philadelphia.

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Cure of Gravel of Five Years' Standing—Stone Passed, and to be Seen.

SAVANNAH, Tenn., May 14, 1869.

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UTAH, Aug. 24, 1868.

MR. H. T. HELMBOLD:

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A Case of Inflammation of Kidneys and Gravel.

From MORGAN, FRAZEE & CO.

GLASGOW, Missouri, Feb. 5, 1869.

MR. H. T. HELMBOLD:

Yours respectfully,

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

Proceedings of the Second Day of the Spring Meeting.

Reports of the County Physician and Warden of the Poor House.

Financial Condition of Cook County—Resources for the Current Year.

The Normal School—What it Has Already Cost and What it is Going to Cost.

General Salomon Refunded the Amount of His Fine and Costs.

An Interesting Debate on "Extras."

MORNING SESSION.

The Board of Supervisors met at 10 a. m. yesterday, President Kearney in the chair.

The roll was called, and the minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted.

COUNTY AGENT'S SALARY.

The County Agent sent in an application for an increase of salary, stating that at the last session his pay had been reduced one-third. He described his duties and said he had to work from 8 a. m. to 10 p. m. He also asked that an assistant be allowed him all the time, as the business of the office was increasing, especially since the insane were placed in his charge.

The petition was referred to a special committee, consisting of Supervisors Garrity, Tesch, and Berg.

EQUALIZATION OF TAXES.

Several applications for equalization of taxes were referred to the appropriate committees.

THE COUNTY POOR HOUSE.

Mr. Patrick Carroll, Warden of the County Poor House, reported for the quarter as follows: [illegible]

The report was filed.

COUNTY PHYSICIAN'S REPORT.

Dr. B. C. Miller, County Physician, reported for the last quarter as follows: [illegible]

In connection with this report I desire to call the attention of the honorable board to the urgent necessity which exists for some better accommodation for the keeping of insane persons while awaiting examination before the County Court, and while waiting for transportation to Jacksonville. [illegible]

The report was referred to the Committee on Hospitals.

FINANCIAL CONDITION OF COOK COUNTY.

The Committee on Finance reported that the following tabular statement sets forth in detail the liabilities of the county, and a tabular statement of the Treasurer, showing the resources of the county for the current year, thus showing the financial condition of the county. The statement also shows the cost, when completed, of the three public buildings and the amount required for the same:

[illegible]

Work Contracted.	Original Contract.	Extras.	Extra Allowed.	Total.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

[illegible]

Supervisor WAITE wanted to know what recommendation the committee had to offer for raising money. [illegible]

Supervisor GAGE thought they might postpone building one wing of the Insane Asylum. [illegible]

THE NORMAL SCHOOL TANKS.

Supervisor SANDERS [illegible]

Supervisor GERBER [illegible]

Supervisor WORTHINGTON wanted to know by what authority these extras were added to the Normal School. [illegible]

Supervisor GERBER defended the tank, which was the only extra the committee ordered. [illegible]

Supervisor WORTHINGTON did not care [illegible]

SPECIAL IMPROVEMENTS.

Supervisor ALLEN submitted the following: [illegible]

Supervisor ALLEN went on to deplore extra expenditures. [illegible]

Supervisor CLARK called for the reading of the act under which the Normal School was built. It was read.

Supervisor WAITE said that at first the Normal School was to be heated by stoves, but afterward it was considered to heat it by furnaces. [illegible]

Supervisor SANDERS understood from the act [illegible]

Supervisor GERBER recommended the time [illegible]

Supervisor CLARK offered the following: [illegible]

Supervisor MORRISON thought that [illegible]

[illegible]

NORMAL SCHOOL EXTRAS.

Supervisor McCAFFERY said the other day, the architect of the Normal School, who told him that there would be extra expenses, [illegible]

Supervisor SANDERS said the bill for strengthening the floor was $1,000, and not $600. [illegible]

Supervisor McCAFFERY wished to save the architect [illegible]

Supervisor BLUTHARDT did not see what the architect had to do with the resolution before the house.

Supervisor SANDERS wished to have the architect's statement.

The question was called for and the resolution was adopted.

Supervisor ALLEN called for the question on his resolution.

Considerable time was consumed in deciphering and translating the resolution, the reading of which was called for.

Supervisor SAUTER moved that it require a two-thirds vote of the board to award a contract for extras.

ADVERTISING CONTRACTS.

Supervisor CLARK offered the following as a substitute:

Resolved, That no committee of this board shall contract with any person or persons for any work or materials, for any sum of money over $20,000; [illegible]

The board then adjourned until 3 p. m.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The board reassembled at 3 p. m.

MORE NORMAL SCHOOL.

Supervisor GERBER asked that Mr. Winchell, architect of the Normal School, be allowed to make a statement to the board.

Supervisor McCAFFERY seconded the request.

It was ruled out of order at this time.

GENERAL SALOMON AND HIS FINE.

The following communication was read:

GENTLEMEN: [illegible]

E. S. SALOMON, Late County Clerk.

Supervisor SANDERS moved that the order for the money be given to General Salomon at once.

Supervisor GIBBS seconded the motion.

Supervisor SANDERS defended the course of General Salomon, and read from the proceedings of the board at the time to show that he acted under instructions from the board. He saved to the county the cost of extending $135,000 on the tax books.

Supervisor WAITE offered the following:

Resolved, That the County Clerk be instructed to inform the board whether the amount of State tax refused to be extended by General Salomon has been included in the State tax of this year.

Supervisor CLARK moved that the matter be referred to the Judiciary Committee for examination.

Supervisor DOLAN defended the action of General Salomon.

Supervisor ACKHOFF did not know that General Salomon had saved anything to the county, and could not vote for the payment of the money until it was further investigated.

Supervisor CLARK had no guarantee that the payment would be right. Like a great deal of General Salomon's career, there was a good deal of goose in this swan. The matter should be first referred to the proper committee.

Supervisor HUMPHREY defended the course of General Salomon.

Supervisor SANDERS said Mr. Salomon saved $1,500 to the county at least.

The resolution ordering the payment was passed, by 29 to 20.

MORE PAY WANTED.

Stewart Hamilton, Janitor of the Court House, appealed for an increase of pay.

Supervisor MORRISON said that $50 a month was too little for any man.

Supervisor CLARK moved that it be referred to the special committee to which the County Agent's appeal was referred.

Finally, it was referred to the Committee on Public Buildings.

THE NORMAL SCHOOL AGAIN.

Mr. Winchell was admitted to the floor of the house to make his statement regarding the Normal School.

Supervisor McCAFFERY asked him to state what conversation they had on the Normal School.

Mr. Winchell said he told Mr. McCaffery that the building would cost from $115,000 to $120,000, [illegible]

[illegible]

Supervisor WINTER said that it footed up [illegible]

Supervisor BLUTHARDT [illegible]

Supervisor MORRISON thought Mr. Thomas was responsible for the coil business.

Supervisor GERBER said the committee took Mr. Boyington, the architect, to examine the heating apparatus, and he pronounced that it would be adopted. The same system of heating was adopted and worked successfully in the public schools in the city.

Mr. Winchell, in reply to Supervisor GIBBS, said the building would cost between $80,000 and $90,000 to make the building ready for school purposes. That did not include the fence, which at $150 a foot, would cost $4,500.

Supervisor GIBBS. What will it cost to fill up the ground around the building so that the children will not be drowned? [Laughter.]

Mr. Winchell. Anywhere from $10,000 to $20,000.

Supervisor GERBER [illegible]

Mr. Winchell. By the change we secure the use of the basement of the building.

Supervisor CLARK moved that Mr. Winchell be allowed to withdraw if he chose.

He withdrew.

Supervisor CLARK believed that the resolution would be the means of relief, [illegible]

Supervisor BOLLAND did not expect to supersede any past contracts. It should not interfere.

Supervisor HOLLAND offered the following:

Resolved, That no committee of this board shall be hereafter authorized to let any contract [illegible]

The resolution was seconded.

Supervisor CLARK, to simplify matters, withdrew his resolutions offered in the morning, and then moved that Supervisor Holland's resolution be laid on the table.

The yeas and nays were called for.

Supervisor GERBER said the passage of the resolution would cause endless litigation, especially if it were meant to be retroactive.

The roll was called on the motion to lay on the table was lost by 24 to 11.

There was some laughter caused by Supervisor Holland, through a mistake, voting to table his motion. He changed his vote afterward.

Supervisor WORTHINGTON hoped they would not so carry on their business as to compel the people to put an injunction on their proceedings.

Supervisor BLUTHARDT moved to strike out the words "two-thirds majority."

Supervisor WAITE called for a division on the question.

The CLERK tried to translate the resolution, but owing to the interlineations, &c., failed, and the author read it.

Supervisor MORRISON moved to insert original appropriations, so that only the board could let contracts.

Supervisor HOLLAND wanted to take out of the committee's hands the power of making contracts for extras at any time they pleased.

Supervisors Morrison, Waite, and Holland discussed the resolution some time on the syntax of the resolution.

Supervisor WORTHINGTON thought the board should meet on the first week of every month, when they could act on and audit bills.

Supervisor MORRISON criticised the phraseology of the resolution.

The resolution was then passed.

SHERIFF'S FEES.

Supervisor WORTHINGTON offered the following:

Resolved, That the Sheriff of Cook County be and he is hereby directed to revise his account for the conveyance of insane persons to the Asylum at Jacksonville [illegible]

Adopted.

BILLS AUDITED.

The Committee on Hospitals recommended the payment of bills for the past quarter, amounting to $7,506.59.

Payment was ordered.

FROM THE BUILDING COMMITTEE.

The Building Committee submitted a long report, in which the amounts paid to the various contractors were given. The work of the committee was reviewed. [illegible]

Supervisor SANDERS [illegible]

Supervisor CLARK moved to adjourn.

Supervisor GIBBS moved that the recommendation of the Finance Committee to send money to New York to save their credit, be acted upon.

The motion was adopted.

Supervisor WAITE moved that the report of the Building Committee be made the special order for this morning, and that it be taken up item by item.

The resolution was passed.

The board then adjourned until 10 o'clock this morning.

The Lock Controversy.

To the Editor of The Chicago Tribune:

CHICAGO, March 8.

The lock contest, which has excited so much interest in this city for many weeks past, seems at last to have culminated [illegible]

[illegible] a "Hobbs pick" in the hands of its inventor, that, as a test, was of no practical importance; and, if attempted to pick a lock which could not be opened except by the key [illegible]

[illegible]

Now, Mr. Editor, I have little mechanical skill or ingenuity, but I have read what little has been published, and have heard much that has been said in this contest, and am free to say that I would rather undertake to pick the Sargent lock (after Hall prepared it for the operation), or to open the Hall Lock, upon a combination made by myself, than to form an intelligible opinion upon the real or relative merits of either, from any reliable evidence presented by this contest. Yours,

IN A MUDDLE.

PROBABLE MURDER.

A Man Found in the River with an Indentation in His Forehead.

On the evening of the 1st of December last, Owen Coleman, a laborer, attended a ball at Williams' Hall, on the West Side. Between the dances he indulged in whiskey so that, when he left, at 3 o'clock in the morning, he was, in classic language, "pretty full." Not returning home, and failing to make his appearance to any of his friends, his wife became alarmed. Two days passed and still he came not. Mrs. Coleman then notified the police authorities, and a gratuitous account of "a missing man" was published in the morning papers. He had been very dissipated for a month previous to his going, and the wife was confident that something had happened to him. She was correct, for about half-past 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon Curtis Brinkman, who attends the Polk street bridge, saw the body of a man floating in the water opposite the north end of the large building adjoining Mears & Bates' lumber yard. He called a policeman, and the two hauled the body out and placed it upon the dock. Word was sent to the Police stations, and Mrs. Coleman, having heard of the fact, repaired to the place, and identified the remains as those of her husband. On the forehead of the deceased, just above the nose, was an indentation. There was no abrasion of the skin, and hence he could not have fallen against anything. As there were clots of a dark substance resembling blood in the hair, the supposition is that he was murdered. The indentation could have been made only by an instrument which was covered with something to guard against external evidences of a blow inflicted. In all probability he wandered from Williams' Hotel into the locality of Polk street bridge, was attacked by garroters, robbed and thrown into the river. As he was never known to have much money, his murderers could not have secured more than a few dollars. A small sum would be taken with eagerness by them, as the knocking down of a woman to get $5 a short time ago, proves. Whether the conjectures in reference to his having been foully dealt with are correct or not will be determined by the Coroner's investigation. The body had the appearance of having been in the water for some time, and shortly after being taken out was frozen stiff, consequently it will be some time before a *post-mortem* examination can be made. Deceased was 30 years of age, and leaves three children.

THE CITY IN BRIEF.

A NEW RELIGIOUS WEEKLY has just been started in Chicago, called the *Interior*, with Rev. Arthur Swazey as editor, and C. Van Santvoord as Assistant. It is about the size of the *Independent* of New York, and is the organ of the Presbyterian sect. The first number, which has just been issued, is printed very neatly, and is well filled with interesting reading matter, both secular and religious, besides a more than ordinary share of advertisements. If the first issue is any sample of those which are to follow, this city may have cause to congratulate itself upon possessing one of the very best religious newspapers in the country. This journal proposes to represent the principles, polity, and growing interests of the united Presbyterian Church. Its editorial talent is fully assured by the names which are mentioned, while it has a full corps of able correspondents at all the principal points, both in this country and abroad. The first issue of the paper commences with a large subscription list, and from every indication the success of this journal to a large degree is most strongly assured.

BETWEEN 11 and 12 o'clock, on Monday night, a span of horses and an open buggy, valued at $500, were stolen from Lawton Collor, of Wheaton. The fact was reported to the Superintendent of Police yesterday morning, and Detective Reeves was instructed to recover the property, if possible. He secured a team and went on a tour of inspection. About a mile outside of the city limits he found the animals and vehicle, the thieves having abandoned them. He brought the team to this city, and in the afternoon they were delivered to Mr. Collor. The men who took the horses and buggy also broke into a shoe store in Wheaton, and appropriated several pairs of shoes. Reeves has a good description of the rascals, and will probably capture them before long.

AMONG THE SUFFERERS in the recent terrible disaster of the Mississippi Central Railroad, were the following residents of Chicago and Illinois: [illegible]

YESTERDAY MORNING the Coroner held an inquest at No. 56 West Erie street, on the remains of Mrs. Gerhart Hogenson, who committed suicide Monday night by taking a dose of rat poison. [illegible]

A CORRESPONDENT, who inquires on behalf of himself and others, asks why it is that policemen are so careful to remind the laboring men of the necessity of cleaning the snow from the sidewalks, while in the more fashionable streets it is suffered to remain till the sun thaws it? [illegible]

AT THE ANNUAL MEETING of the Northwestern Poultry Association, held yesterday at the Tremont House, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, L. L. Greenleaf. Vice Presidents, W. W. Corbett, Chicago, Ill.; [illegible]

THE JOURNAL of yesterday makes a severe and wholly unjustifiable assault upon Mr. S. A. Derby, a well known citizen of this city, charging him with "following young ladies all over the city," and insulting them. [illegible]

THE ALARM from Box No. 14, at 8 o'clock yesterday morning, [illegible]

A WINDOW CURTAIN in the store of Mrs. T. F. Davor, No. 116 West Madison street, came in contact with a gas jet, about 7 o'clock last evening and took fire. Several articles in the window on exhibition also ignited. Policeman Chapin, who was on the opposite side of the street, rushed over and threw the burning goods into the street, thus avoiding a disastrous conflagration. The loss will reach the sum of $2.50; not insured.

MRS. JUDSON, who resides on West Washington street, had her pocket picked of a gold watch, on a car at Randolph and State streets, yesterday afternoon. A gentleman seated alongside of her observed the thief taking the time-keeper, and caught hold of his overcoat collar. The rascal slipped out of the garment in a twinkling, leaving it in the hand of the gentleman, and made his escape.

IN THE KANE COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT, last week, a verdict of $18,000 was rendered in favor of Frank Jackson against the Chicago & Northwestern Railway. Jackson, an employe of the company, while coupling or uncoupling cars at Harvard, McHenry County, in November last, was run over, losing both of his legs. A motion was made for a new trial.

THE IRISH LITERARY ASSOCIATION will hold a meeting this evening at 8 o'clock, at No. 46 South Clark street, to discuss the arrangements for the banquet and ball to be given at the Revere House on St. Patrick's Day.

SHORTLY AFTER 10 O'CLOCK yesterday morning the burning of a mattress in the residence of Peter Collins, No. 168 Spring street, occasioned an alarm from Box No. 54. Loss trifling; cause of fire unknown.

WE UNDERSTAND that the Rev. Wm. H. Milburn, the "blind preacher," intends to come West again to lecture the latter part of this month. Associations or others wishing lectures can address him at the Coleman House, New York city.

THE HON. SIMON WOLF, of Washington, D. C., will deliver a lecture to-morrow night under the auspices of the Ellsworth Zouaves, at Library Hall. Tickets, 50 cents.

DR. HAUSLEINER desires us to state that he has appealed from the decision of Justice Arnold to the Circuit Court. He thinks that Justice Arnold's decision was not "on the square."

LIFE BOAT LODGE, No. 1,060, I. O. G. T., will hold a meeting at No. 166 South Clark street, this evening, which will be open to the public. There will be good music, and Rev. Mr. Davis will speak on the occasion.

U. P. LINDER, one of the Mayor's policemen, became so intoxicated last evening that he had to be conveyed to the Huron Street Station in an express wagon. A model officer.

EVERETT GOUGH'S last appearance this season at Farwell Hall, before the Y. M. C. A., Thursday and Friday evenings, on "Fact and Fiction," and "London."

THE BOTANICAL SECTION of the Academy of Sciences will meet this evening. Several interesting botanical papers will be read.

SELDOM have we heard three as beautiful duets as are advertised on another page by Root & Cady. Try them.

THE EIGHTH ANNUAL CONGRESS of the Fenian Brotherhood will be held at Chicago on the 11th of April.

THE WEST SIDE RINK will be open to skaters this evening.

Specie Payment Resumed.

As gold falls, so do prices, especially at Stein's Bazar [illegible]

Real Estate.

The well-known and enterprising firm of Warren, Keeney & Co. have removed from their old quarters to No. 126 Dearborn street, where they have fitted up a large and beautiful office on the ground floor, which is in keeping with their business. Parties wishing to buy or sell real estate will find it for their own interest to consult this firm, as its members being thorough and energetic business men, well posted and reliable.

New Maps.

Rufus Blanchard, No. 146 Lake street, has just published a new series of maps of the Northwestern States, showing all the recent railroad connections, stations, etc. They will be found very valuable.

SPRINGFIELD.

Slow Progress in the Convention.

One Section of the Judiciary Article Adopted.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

SPRINGFIELD, March 8.

A LITTLE UNPLEASANTNESS.

The first passage-at-arms between two members during the sitting of this convention, which seemed to be inspired by angry feelings, occurred at the opening of the session this morning. The belligerents were Colonel Dement, of Lee, and Mr. Wagner, of Carroll, or it would be more true to say that the assailing member was Colonel Dement, and the victim, or recipient, Mr. Wagner, as by force of parliamentary law Colonel Dement was cut off before finishing his assault, and Mr. Wagner deprived of the liberty of making a reply at that time. The origin of the difficulty between the two gentlemen seemed to be something like this: During the discussion and action on the canal question, a few weeks since, Colonel Dement made a record that was distasteful to his constituents, and they condemned it, I believe, in a public meeting, and at the same time commended the course of Mr. Wagner upon the same question. Colonel Dement, being a candidate for Mayor, went home among his constituents, or at least that portion of them who reside in Dixon, explained his position and at the same time insisted that his course, which they had condemned, and that of Mr. Wagner, which they had commended, were identical; that, in fact, Mr. Wagner simply followed his lead, or nearly so. This explanation seems to have satisfied Colonel Dement's constituents, for they afterward elected him Mayor by a nearly unanimous vote. But the Colonel's defence Mr. Wagner felt did him injustice, and also lacked the elements of truth and candor; and he wrote a letter to the Dixon *Telegraph*, giving his version of the action of himself and Colonel Dement. This letter Colonel Dement read to the convention this morning, and then proceeded to comment upon it. His remarks were almost entirely of a character personally offensive to Mr. Wagner, and such as seemed to me to be entirely uncalled-for and out of place. Colonel Dement continued at considerable length—until, in fact, the convention became decidedly opposed to his further continuance, and a call was made in an emphatic manner for the order of the day. This cut off further remarks from Colonel Dement, and precluded any reply from Mr. Wagner, but at the opening of the afternoon session Mr. Wagner rose, and, in reply to the sneering remarks made by Colonel Dement that about his only recollection of him (Wagner) in former days was in the capacity of a leading figure at horse courses, said that among the errors of his youthful days there were none to which he turned with deeper feelings of contrition than those in which he used to encounter Colonel Dement on the race track. This raised the laugh against the Colonel, and that ended the scene.

THE JUDICIARY.

The entire session of the convention to-day, barring the episode which I have given above, was devoted to a discussion of Sections 16 and 18, the former having reference to the compensation of Circuit Judges, and the other providing for enlarging the jurisdiction of County Courts. The sixteenth section was discussed up to the close of the morning session, and finally adopted by fixing the salary at $3,000 per annum with otherwise provided by law, and no perquisites whatever. The balance of the section was adopted as reported, except that the last sentence, providing that a Clerk for the Circuit Court, a Sheriff, and a Coroner, should be elected in each, was stricken out, as these officers were provided for in another section. Section 18, providing for increasing the jurisdiction of County Courts so that they shall have original jurisdiction in cases of debt, assumpsit, trover, replevin, etc., where the sum in issue does not exceed $500, and of crimes and misdemeanors where the punishment shall not be capital, or in the Penitentiary, was discussed during the entire afternoon, and no vote reached, except on amendments. There were wide differences of opinion upon this section, on one side the necessity of it being strongly urged, and *vice versa*. Members representing small counties very generally insisted that their counties did not need this innovation upon old time practice, while members from the larger counties maintained its necessity in their localities for the reason that their Circuit Courts were overburdened with business, and they could see no other means of relief. Just before the close of the session Mr. Ross sent up a substitute for the section, and the whole subject was postponed till to-morrow.

SLOW.

It will be seen that the convention has made very slow progress to-day, having passed upon only one section of the Judiciary report. At this rate, they will scarcely reach the end before the middle or end of next week. This is not a promising exhibit. It looks as if the Fourth of July might find this body still in session.

DULL.

The members of the convention complain that Springfield is very dull. There are no public amusements, no balls, no parties, nor anything else upon which to build an excitement. I think if the convention were requested to do so they would move the capital at once to some, in this respect, famed locality.

FATAL BAR-ROOM AFFRAY.

Murder, robbery, and crime seem to be rampant all over the State. Last night, in a drunken brawl, Patrick Daley was shot and instantly killed by Albert S. Wood in a drinking saloon on the corner of Eighth and Washington streets in this city. Wood made his escape, but to-day give himself up to an officer, and the grand jury now in session has his case under consideration. The friends of Daley are very much excited, but no more violence has thus far been attempted. The friends of Wood say the shooting was in self defence, and this seems to be proved by the evidence taken before the Coroner's jury. Daley had been trying to bring on a fight with Wood on account of some woman, whom both claimed as mistress. Whiskey and jealousy seem to be the prime movers in this, as in many other crimes of a similar nature.

INFANTICIDE.

The dead body of an infant, three or four days old, was found in a vault at the depot of the Chicago & Alton Railroad to-day noon. The verdict of the Coroner's jury was that it was murdered by some unknown person, by strangulation.

BURGLARY.

The shoe store of S. Lampher was robbed of $200 last night. No clue to the burglars.

HONORABLY DISCHARGED.

John DeGovin, whose arrest, with two boys, on a charge of arson, was telegraphed to THE TRIBUNE at the time, was tried upon the charge and acquitted. The testimony of the boys, on whose evidence wholly the arrest was made, was not deemed worthy of consideration by the jury. DeGovin was discharged.

MASONIC.

Past Grand Master H. P. H. Bromwell will deliver a lecture to Master Masons on the symbols of the Third Degree. The lecture will be at the Masonic Hall in this city, to-morrow night.

SPECIE PAYMENTS.

Gold being down to 116, a number of our merchants are paying out specie in change.

THE CONVENTION.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 8.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION.

Mr. DEMENT, of Lee, rose to a privileged question. He read from the Dixon *Telegraph* a communication from Springfield relative to Mr. Browning's substitute for the report upon canals, and to his vote upon that subject. He wished to correct the statements there made.

THE JUDICIARY ARTICLE.

The special order, the report upon State, county, and municipal indebtedness, was postponed to the 15th, and the convention went into Committee of the Whole upon the Judiciary article, Mr. BOWMAN, of Gallatin, in the chair. The consideration of Section 16 was resumed. The question was upon Mr. Wells' motion to strike out all but the last sentence of the section, and it was lost.

Mr. Hanna's amendment to hold elections in the next June after the meeting of the Legislature was next in order.

Mr. BROWNING, of Adams, offered as a substitute to strike out the last clause entirely, and to put in its place the following:

"The election of Judges shall take place on the first Monday in June next succeeding the creation of the new circuits, under this constitution, and every six years thereafter."

Mr. HANNA accepted the substitute.

Mr. RICE, of Montgomery, did not care how early or how late the day of the first election ceded in the constitution.

Mr. Browning's substitute was adopted.

Mr. WHEATON, of Kane, wished to know whether, in case a circuit was not changed, the Judge would not hold office for life.

Mr. BROWNING said it was provided for in the fifteenth section.

The section was adopted as amended, as follows:

"SECTION 14. The General Assembly shall provide for the times of holding court in each county, which times shall not be changed except by General Assemblies next preceding the general election for Judges of said courts, but additional terms may be provided for in any county. The election of Judges shall take place on the first Monday in June next succeeding the creation of new circuits under this constitution, and every six years thereafter."

The fifteenth section was considered.

Mr. SPRINGER, of Madison, moved to strike it out.

On motion of Mr. HAY, of Sangamon, it was postponed.

Section 16 was taken up. It provides that Circuit Judges receive the salaries now provided by law until otherwise provided, such salaries after being fixed not to be changed during the term of office, and no other emoluments to be allowed.

Mr. WELLS, of Peoria, offered as a substitute, the following:

"The Judges of the Supreme and Circuit Courts shall receive for their services a compensation which shall be payable quarterly, and shall not be increased during the term of office."

Nothing was so needful to an independent judiciary as that the Judges' salaries should be above all caprice of the Legislature. He read a long list of constitutions in which a similar provision existed. There was little danger of a Judge receiving too much salary. In some cases they were underpaid, and Congress was now considering the propriety of increasing the pay of the Federal Judges. There was—republics being proverbially ungrateful—little danger of a Judge being paid too much.

Mr. SEDGWICK, of DeKalb, wished to amend by adding the last clause of the printed section, providing that Judges should receive no other emolument than their salaries.

Mr. WELLS accepted the amendment.

Mr. CUMMINGS, of Fulton, wished to amend [illegible]

Mr. HAYES, of Cook, did not think the docket [illegible]

Mr. CHURCH, of McHenry, said that Mr. Wells had been looking for brevity in his twelfth [illegible]

Mr. HAY thought the constitution ought to provide [illegible]

[illegible]

Mr. HAYES had not carefully considered the question. He did not know exactly which section he favored or opposed it. He had hoped that the amendment from Peoria, in effect the same thing [illegible]

Mr. ANTHONY said that the salary question had been discussed about sixteen different times. [illegible]

Mr. Cameron's amendment was lost.

Mr. UNDERWOOD, of St. Clair, wished to have the salaries of all Judges provided for in this section.

Mr. BROWNING thought the salaries of Supreme Judges should be established under the appropriate head.

Mr. WALL, of Perry, thought Mr. Underwood's amendment would cause great confusion. The Supreme Judges were to be elected for twelve years.

Mr. SPRINGER could not see the confusion.

Mr. WALL asked if it might not result in one Supreme Judge having a larger salary than others. Judges would be elected for different terms.

Mr. BROWNWELL thought the objection did not amount to much. Suppose it were so, what matter? That was the case now with the Circuit Judges.

Mr. WELLS said his substitute was designed to take the place of sections 17 and 18, and was less than half their length. A portion of the present salaries of Judges is paid in defiance of the constitution. It was a matter which should not be allowed to continue. This substitute expressed clearly what was meant, and the precise amount might be fixed in the schedule. Under the section no one can tell what the salaries will be. No one could now tell what the law is.

Mr. Underwood's amendment was lost.

Mr. BUXTON, of Clinton, moved to amend by fixing the salaries of Circuit Judges at three thousand dollars until otherwise provided.

The amendment was adopted.

On motion of Mr. BUXTON, the last clause, providing for the election of Clerks, Sheriffs, and Coroners, was stricken out.

Mr. Wells' substitute was rejected and the section adopted as amended. It is as follows:

"SECTION 16. From and after the adoption of this constitution Judges of Circuit Courts shall receive salary of three thousand dollars per annum, payable quarterly, until otherwise provided by law, and after their salaries shall be fixed by law they shall not be increased or diminished during the terms for which said Judges shall be respectively elected; and no Judge of any court shall receive other compensation, perquisite, or benefit in any form whatsoever, nor perform any other than judicial duties, to which may belong any emoluments."

Section 17 was adopted without debate or change.

Recess.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

A QUEER RESOLUTION.

The convention reassembled at 2 o'clock.

Mr. CROSS offered a resolution that none but the legal profession be allowed to speak or vote on the Judiciary report.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION.

Mr. WAGNER rose to a privileged question, and replied to the personal allusions made by Mr. Dement to him in the morning.

THE JUDICIARY ARTICLE.

The convention resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the judiciary report, Mr. BOWMAN in the chair.

The eighteenth section was taken up. It has reference to the establishment of County Courts.

Mr. CHURCH, of McHenry, thought it a court of this kind, having a jurisdiction of five hundred dollars, juries would be found necessary, and this would impose a heavy expense. He thought this court would afford no relief that could not be obtained in the Circuit Courts. He offered an amendment to reduce the jurisdiction in counties of smaller population than 20,000.

Mr. ARCHER offered another amendment that the jurisdiction should cover only probate cases, appointment of guardians, etc., and such other jurisdiction as may be provided by law.

Half a dozen other amendments were offered by as many members.

Mr. ARCHER advocated his amendment. He was in favor of the increased jurisdiction of the County Courts which this section gave. It would relieve the Circuit Courts of a large number of cases now piled upon them, and greatly reduce the expenses of litigants.

Mr. CARY moved to strike out that portion of the section which gives jurisdiction over actions of debt, assumpsit, trover, replevin, and crimes and misdemeanors where punishment shall not be capital or confinement in the Penitentiary. He was opposed to extending the jurisdiction of the County Courts. County Judges would not be elected competent to try the cases which were proposed by the section. If the Circuit Courts should have more business than they could attend to, increase the number of circuits, but do not lower the standard of these courts in this way.

Mr. FULLER, of Stark, was opposed to the section, and he thought if adopted, it would tend to defeat the constitution before the people. The people want competent Judges. Every county had no lawyer of superior legal ability would accept the place in small counties where the salary would be small. He offered an amendment providing that the section should not apply to counties of less than twenty thousand.

Mr. MERRIAM, of Tazewell, had not seen a provision in any report which more completely met his views in all its details than this section. It was impossible for the Circuit Courts to attend to all the business that annually came before them, and keep their cases to the necessities of the people.

Mr. PERLEY, of Marshall, did not believe that one-third of the counties of this State needed this increased jurisdiction. If any counties wanted it, let them so decide, but do not force it upon counties that do not want it. If this law be forced upon the counties, the consequence would be disastrous and greatly to be deplored. What he wanted was to submit it to the people of each county, and let them decide whether they wanted it or not.

Mr. TRUESDALE, of Rock Island, felt sure that his constituents did not want this increased jurisdiction given to the County Court. It was a dangerous proposition. He felt sure that that court would soon become a burlesque, and appeals from its decisions universal.

Mr. RICE, of Montgomery, advocated the section. He said the cost of boarding and incidental expenses of prisoners held in confinement for petty offences, which this court could take cognizance of, for the long time waiting for the terms of the Circuit Courts, which averaged about two a year in each county, was more than the entire expense of the Judiciary of the State. He was in favor of bringing the courts as near the people as possible, and bringing these small cases for litigation as cheaply as possible.

Mr. SEDGWICK, of DeKalb, protested against the increased jurisdiction of the County Courts. He believed what was applicable in one county was not applicable in another, and what was wanted in one county was not wanted in another. He was opposed to forcing a measure upon a county when the people did not want it. He thought the Legislature should be the judges of what was necessary to the necessities of the question. He regarded the attempt to define the jurisdiction of courts, in this convention, as uncalled for and out of place.

Mr. UNDERWOOD, of St. Clair, urged the necessity of this increased jurisdiction in the County Courts as a relief to litigants in inferior criminal cases. It would also greatly relieve the Circuit Courts of a large number of cases which never ought to come before them.

Mr. WALL, of Perry, believed we needed a court nearer the people, where minor cases might be disposed of at less expense, and with less loss of time than can now be expected, but he felt that this section would not afford the needed relief. He regarded an appeal from a Justice's Court to another court, by appeal, to the Circuit Court, as a consequence, it would cost more money and delay more time under the present constitution.

Good men at the right kind of men could not be found to occupy the position of County Judge, from the fact that the salary must necessarily be small. He thought the demand for a court of the kind would be better met by making the Courts of Common Pleas such as is found provided for in the twenty-third section.

Mr. BROWNING, of Adams, said the people required as of the first necessity that the Circuit Judges should be reduced in number. This could only be done by an increase of the jurisdiction of County Courts, as proposed in this section, or Courts of Common Pleas could not meet the necessity. There were internal courts, covering circuits composed of several counties. This County Court scheme could be made an efficient court of record, where it could be disposed of at once and at all expense. The great expense of criminal justice would be reduced in the Circuit Courts by reason of the diminished business brought before them. In reply to a question, Mr. Browning said he was willing that the question of conferring this new jurisdiction upon the County Courts should be left to the acceptance or rejection of the various counties.

Mr. WAITE, of Henry, thought the County Courts could be raised in reputability. It is a court of great importance—a court that has charge of the entire property of the county, and should have the best men, and who can have the best men, if we will induce men of ability and integrity to take charge of it. It requires more integrity, and more honesty in the Judge of a County Court than it did even in the Judge of the Supreme Court.

Mr. HAY, of Sangamon, explained the various provisions of the section, and vindicated the necessity of its adoption at considerable length and with great clearness. He admitted the propriety of the amendment proposed by Mr. Church, that the increased jurisdiction should not be given counties of less than 20,000 population, unless provided by law.

Mr. WHEATON, of Kane, urged the necessity of adopting Mr. Church's amendment. He was in favor, in certain cases, of increasing the jurisdiction in some counties to the extent of reaching all criminal cases below capital offences.

Mr. ELDRIDGE, of LaSalle, [illegible] increased jurisdiction in the county Courts, but did not see the necessity of forcing it upon small counties where it was not needed, and where the people did not want it.

Several amendments were voted upon and rejected. The question was then taken upon the amendment offered by Mr. Fuller, and it was adopted.

An entire substitute for the district was then offered by Mr. ROSS, of Fulton, with a substitute for Section 22.

The committee then rose and the convention adjourned.

STATE LEGISLATURES.

WISCONSIN.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

MADISON, March 8.

Some important matters have been disposed of in the Legislature last evening and to-day.

Both houses have concurred in resolutions instructing our members of Congress to procure, if possible, such further appropriations as will finish the government works at the entry of the Bay of Superior.

A resolution was introduced that, inasmuch as our constitution, which it requires two years to change, fixes the time of the annual election on the first Tuesday of November, therefore Congress be most earnestly requested to except the State of Wisconsin until the first day of January, 1871, from the operation of any law requiring the election of members of Congress in the several States on a particular day.

A joint resolution providing for the final adjournment, on Thursday, the 17th inst., was passed.

A number of bills were concurred in, among them to provide for an additional institution for the insane. The rest were local or unimportant.

The University fifty thousand dollar appropriation was referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

The Assembly bill to return to a township system of county government was reported back favorably by the Special Committee, and made the special order for to-morrow at 11 o'clock.

In the Assembly last evening the Speaker presented the proposition of the Milwaukee Board of Supervisors, tendering a site for a State capitol.

Mr. Sanborn, rising to a question of privilege, fully contradicted certain statements of Mr. Pease [illegible]

There was some debate, and some resolutions endorsing the course of Senator Matt. H. Carpenter on the Cuban question, reported as a substitute for some resolutions introduced some weeks since.

An amendment offered by Mr. Mayor (Democrat), endorsing Mr. Carpenter's course on the question of conditions precedent to the admission of Virginia to representation, was lost, by a vote of 30 to 38.

The Cuban endorsement was adopted without division, as follows:

Resolved, That the course of the Hon. Matt. H. Carpenter, of Wisconsin, in the United States Senate, in his expressions of sympathy for the cause of the Cuban patriots in their heroic efforts to shake off the Spanish yoke, [illegible]

[illegible]

Assembly bill was passed to provide for the [illegible]

The Assembly passed to concur with the Senate amendment to the investigation resolutions, striking out the names of Supervisors Breese, Commissioners, Secretary of State, State Treasurer, and ordered the investigation to the [illegible]

To-day in the Assembly the bill which has been pending in the Assembly to secure to the office of the State Controller [illegible]

MADISON, Wis., March 8.—The bill for the removal of the seat of government from Madison to Milwaukee, came up as the special order in the Assembly, and was indefinitely postponed by a vote of 57 to 30.

NEW YORK.

ALBANY, March 8.—The Senate bill abolishing the contract system on the canals has passed to a third reading in the Assembly.

NEW JERSEY.

TRENTON, March 8.—The bill increasing the capital stock of the Morris & Essex Railroad to $15,000,000 has passed the Legislature.

The House has passed a bill empowering the Camden & Amboy Railroad to construct a railroad from the Delaware River to the Central Railroad, covering almost the same ground covered by the Air Line bill in the Senate.

Municipal Elections.

DETROIT, March 8.—A number of village charter elections were held, yesterday, in this State, but the elections were determined, almost uniformly, on personal and local issues, and the results, therefore, possess little of no political significance.

STERLING, Ill., March 8.—The result of our city election yesterday was as follows: For Mayor, J. S. Sper; for City Treasurer, Charles Smith; Aldermen—First Ward, John Dippell; in the Second Ward, James Windom; in the Third Ward, Wm. Kitel. In the latter ward the election will probably be contested, on account of illegal voting, the contestants being C. Jewett and A. J. Hull. The contest was sharp throughout the city, but good feeling prevailed.

WAUKEGAN, Ill., March 8.—The election for city officers occurred here yesterday. The following are the persons elected: Mayor, Chas. R. Steele; Treasurer and Assessor, S. H. Fuller; Marshal and Collector, H. A. Hinkley; Alderman, First Ward, R. M. Haines; Second Ward, S. L. Bradbury; Third Ward, L. D. Warren; Fourth Ward, Otto Billardt.

CEDAR RAPIDS, Iowa, March 8.—At the charter election, held in this city yesterday, Wm. B. Leach, Republican candidate for Mayor, was elected by a majority of 401. The entire Republican ticket was elected.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 8.—John Lutes, Democrat, was chosen Mayor by 350 majority. The Republicans elect a majority of the Aldermen, Councilmen, and Supervisors.

METEOROLOGICAL.

Meteorological record for March 8, 1870, as reported by J. G. Langguth, Jr., optician, 117 Randolph street, correspondent to the Smithsonian Institute. The small letters are the initials for the words "veering," "gentle," "high," "dry," "moist atmosphere," "fair," "rain," and "snow:"

Time.	Bar.	Wind.	Ther.	Rain.
Night preced'g	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1 a. m.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
12 m.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
8 p. m.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

MINIATURE ALMANAC.

CHICAGO, March 9, 1870.

Sun rises 6 h. 19 m. a. m. | Moon rises 10 h. 13 m. a. m.
Sun sets 5 h. 9 m. p. m. | Moon sets 0 h. 1 m. a. m.

New Orleans Market.

NEW ORLEANS, March 8.—COTTON—Quiet and weak; middling, 22¼c. Receipts, 2,587 bales; exports, 4,000 bales. FLOUR—Firm. [illegible] Corn, $1.10. PROVISIONS—Mess pork, $28.50@28.75. Bacon—Prime, [illegible]. Other articles dull and unchanged.

Cambridge Live Stock Market.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., March 8.—Beef Cattle—Receipts, 446 head. Good prime cattle same as last week. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 1,881. Trade good. Previous prices sustained.

San Francisco Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 8.—BREADSTUFFS—Flour very quiet; $4.50@5.50. Wheat—No transactions; Legal-tenders, 86.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

An Indelible Blemish.—Nothing will restore the skin of the head to its original fairness after it has been turned of a copper color with hair dyes. Yet none of them will produce this effect if the article used be brought out by the HAIR, or PHALON'S VITALIA, OR SALVATION FOR THE HAIR, a preparation clear and transparent, and which does not stain the skin. Sold by all the druggists and fancy goods dealers.

Salt Rheum cured by using Juniper Tar Soap, made by Caswell, Hazard & Co., New York.

Paper Hangings and Window shades, latest styles. Paints, oils, glass and brushes, at F. E. Rigby's, 89 Randolph street.

BORN.

ADAMS—In this city, March 8, 1870, Edward Wyman, son of George W. and Mary A. Adams.

DIED.

DRAKE—In this city, Monday, March 7, of consumption, Miss Martha J. Drake, sister of John B. Drake, Esq., of the Tremont House.

Funeral services will be held at her brother's residence, 38 Michigan avenue, this (Wednesday) afternoon at 2 o'clock.

AUCTION SALES.

(ESTABLISHED 1856.)

WM. A. BUTTERS & CO.,

Auctioneers,

5, 7, 9, AND 11 RANDOLPH-ST.

CHICAGO, ILL.

50 Cases Fur and Wool Hats,

AT AUCTION,

Comprising a fine line of Men's, Boys' and Youths' Hats, just received from manufacturers,

On WEDNESDAY, March 9, at 10 a. m.

WM. A. BUTTERS & CO., Auct'rs.

150 Cases Boots and Shoes,

AT AUCTION,

On THURSDAY, March 10, at 10 a. m.

A splendid assortment of seasonable goods. At our Salesrooms, 5, 7, 9, and 11 Randolph-st.

WM. A. BUTTERS & CO., Auctioneers.

By GEO. P. GORE & CO.

Second Spring Trade Sale OF **BOOTS & SHOES,**

AT AUCTION, BY CATALOGUE,

On WEDNESDAY, March 9, at 9½ a. m.,

Consisting of a LARGE and SPLENDID ASSORTMENT of ALL GRADES and STYLES of

SPRING GOODS.

At same time and place, the stock of a Retail Dealer.

☞ The attention of Country Merchants is called to this great opportunity for bargains.

GEO. P. GORE & CO.,
22, 24 & 26 Randolph-st.

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Will offer AT AUCTION, on THURSDAY, March 10, at 9½ a. m.,

Linen Hdkfs., Hosiery,
Leather Satchels & Travelling Bags,
Wool and List Carpets,
Mirrors, Plated Ware,
15 New Sewing Machines, in perfect order, and
1 Fire-Proof Safe.

By D. LONG & CO.

Regular Wednesday's Sale OF **New and Second-hand Furniture,**

Parlor and Chamber Sets, Marble-top Tables, Mirrors, Crockery, Glassware, [illegible] Cottage Bedsteads; 36 Panel Bedsteads; 50 K. O. Maple Bedsteads; 36 Cook and Heating Stoves,

AT AUCTION,

On WEDNESDAY, March 9, at 10 o'clock, at our Rooms, 38 South Wells-st.

D. LONG & CO., Auctioneers.

Auction Sale This Day of

BAR AND FIXTURES, CHAIRS, TABLES, PICTURES, MIRRORS, GLASSWARE, &c.,

AT AUCTION, on WEDNESDAY, March 9, at 10 a. m., at our Room, 38 South Wells-st.

D. LONG & CO., Auctioneers.

By PERKINS BROTHERS & CO.

REGULAR THURSDAY'S SALE OF

New and Second-hand Furniture,

Parlor and Chamber Sets, Marble-top Tables, Mirrors, [illegible] cane-seat Chairs, a large invoice of Crockery, Glassware and Cutlery. 100 lbs. best quality Soap.

AT AUCTION,

On THURSDAY, March 10, at 10 o'clock precisely, at our salesrooms, 227 State-st.

PERKINS BROTHERS & CO., Auctioneers.

MACHINERY.

FOR SALE—ENGINES, PORTABLE, STATIONARY, hoisting and marine, 4 to 50 horse; Pari's Tie-Hammer; Foreman's iron-clad Dry Blast Mills; Planing Machines. [illegible] 70 South Canal-st.

FOR SALE—SASH AND PLANING MILL MEN. Attention. [illegible] A. JAMES & CO., 135 Lake st.

FOR SALE—BLANDY'S PATENT PORTABLE engine, Blandy's farm engine, Blandy's stationary engine, Blandy's circular saw mills, Gristmills and all kinds of machinery, saws, belting, &c. H. & F. BLANDY, 82 South Canal-st., Chicago.

FOR SALE—WOODWORTH PLANERS AND stickers and moulding machines in store; also scroll saws, tenoning machines, boring and mortising machines, etc. J. A. FAY & CO., No. 45 LaSalle-st.

WANTED—A SECOND-HAND IRON PLANER, 5 feet square; lathe 18 feet, or 16 feet bed. [illegible] Address Box 4, Faribault, Minn.

WANTED—A SECOND-HAND RESAWING MACHINE. [illegible] Address, for two days, RESAWING [illegible]

WANTED—SECOND-HAND DERRICK OR crane. [illegible] Address HAY FRENCH, 55 South Carpenter-st., Chicago.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—A SMALL TRADING VESSEL OF [illegible] address WM. H. HALL, Spring Lake, Mich.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—A SPLENDID [illegible]

FOR SALE—VESSEL—SCHOONER "DRIVER." [illegible]

FOR SALE—BOTTLES—CLARET, BRANDY, [illegible] J. E. PETTIBONE, 84 Randolph.

FOR SALE—$20,000 BONDS [illegible]

FOR SALE—SAFE AND OFFICE FURNITURE [illegible]

AMUSEMENTS.

CROSBY'S OPERA HOUSE.

THE LAST NIGHTS OF

The Great Lingard

AND

MISS ALICE DUNNING (LINGARD).

THIS EVENING, Wednesday, March 9, 1870, commencing with

DELICATE GROUND.

[illegible] MISS ALICE DUNNING (LINGARD)

AFTER WHICH,

Lingard's Original Sketches,

TO CONCLUDE WITH

WHO'S TO WIN HIM?

With the Lingards in the cast.

On THURSDAY EVENING, March 10, the great Musical Extravaganza, entitled

PLUTO (Reconstructed); Or, The Magic Lyre.

LAST GRAND LINGARD MATINEE ON SAT.

McVICKER'S THEATRE.

Last week of the great characteristic

LEFFINGWELL,

Who will appear in T. B. McDonough's new Sword Comedy of

The Coming Man.

SHAKESPEARE SMITH, The Coming Man ... LEFFINGWELL

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AIKEN'S MUSEUM.

FRANK E. AIKEN .... Proprietor and Manager

This (Wednesday) evening, March 9, at 8 o'clock, also at the Grand Matinee at 2½ o'clock, the beautiful domestic story,

VICAR OF WAKEFIELD,

With its Great Cast, Excellent Appointments, and Handsome Scenery.

Friday evening, Benefit of Mr. J. W. BLAISDELL.

A GREAT BILL.

Will shortly be produced, Augustin Daly's last Paris and New York Sensation, FROU-FROU.

DEARBORN THEATRE.

MANNING'S MINSTRELS.

Great hit of the new and excruciating semi-medical burlesque sketch,

THE EXAMINATION;

Or, Scenes at Rush Medical College.

The tremendously popular Double-Song and Dance, by Ben Cotton and Bob Hart,

SHOO FLY.

In preparation, MAZEPPA.

FARWELL HALL.

Y. M. C. A.

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Thursday Evening, March 10,

"FACT AND FICTION."

Friday Evening, March 11,

"LONDON."

Admission, 50 cents; Reserved Seats, 25 cents extra. For sale at Farwell Hall Ticket Office, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, from 9 a. m. to 6 p. m.

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OF THE

MENDELSSOHN QUINTETTE CLUB,

ASSISTED BY

MISS JENNY BUSK.

CROSBY'S MUSIC HALL, Friday Evening, March 11. HISTORICAL HALL, Saturday Evening, March 12.

NOTICE—Season tickets bear the wrong dates of March 15 and 16, instead of 11 and 12. Tickets for sale at Music Stores and Halls.

WEST SIDE RINK.

GRAND GALA NIGHT.

Full Band of Music—Good Ice.

MATCH GAME OF PIGEON HOLE,

For $500 a side and Championship of the State, between JOHN GREEN, of New York, and JOHN J. LYONS, of Chicago, on Wednesday evening, March 9, at the HOME SAMPLE ROOMS, No. 91 State-st., corner of Harrison. Admission, 50 cents. The friends of both parties are invited. Playing to commence at 8 o'clock sharp.

TO RENT—HOUSES.

TO RENT—HOUSE AND LARGE BARN, NO. [illegible] Inquire of PINNEY & LYONS, 175 South Canal-st.

TO RENT—DWELLING HOUSE AND BARN, No. 273 Third-av. [illegible] GEO. W. NEWCOMB, 80 Dearborn-st.

TO RENT—COTTAGE 258 HUBBARD-ST., NEWLY painted and papered. Water in kitchen. Apply on premises.

TO RENT—A THREE-STORY AND BASEMENT marble front house on Michigan-av., near Twelfth-st., completely furnished and in perfect order. [illegible] Room 13, 116 LaSalle-st.

TO RENT—FROM MAY 1, BRICK DWELLING, No. 288 East Indiana-st. [illegible] KERFOOT, 90 Washington-st.

TO RENT—COTTAGE WITH 7 ROOMS, [illegible]

TO RENT—TWO BRICK HOUSES, CONNECTING, containing 14 rooms each, separately or together, suitable for boarding house, near the Central Depot. [illegible] 28 Dearborn-st.

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TO RENT—ROOMS.

TO RENT—3 ROOMS, WITH THREE CLOSETS, fitted up suitable for a boarding house or furnished rooms. [illegible]

TO RENT—GOOD ROOMS FOR GENTLEMEN, [illegible] J. ESAIAS WARREN, 122 Dearborn-st.

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TO RENT—SUITE OF THREE ROOMS, CLOSET, [illegible] Cottage Grove-av. Immediate possession.

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TO RENT—A GOOD SUITE OF LODGING rooms, with gas, water, &c. [illegible] NORTON & LEONARD, 108 and 110 Randolph-st.

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TO RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS, SINGLE OR en suite. Apply at Room 26 Hamilton Block, 115 North Clark-st.

TO RENT—STORES AND OFFICES.

TO RENT—STEAM BAKERY, WITH EIGHT power, [illegible] CHAS. E. PORTER & Co., commission merchants, 25, 31, 37 North Clinton-st.

TO RENT—BASEMENT 196 LAKE-ST., CORNER Wells, now occupied as a leather and shoe-finding store. Possession May 1. Inquire of J. P. WAYNE & SON, 196 Lake-st.

TO RENT—LARGE BRICK BUILDING NOS. 178 and 180 Wabash-av., next to Maison Doree, suitable for a boarding house or hotel. [illegible] BROWN BROTHERS, 136 Monroe-st.

TO RENT—STORE, NO. 109 DEARBORN-ST. Office, No. 70 Washington-st., with fine vault and bank fixtures. Fine suite of offices on third floor of the Portland Block, and one office on second floor. All at prices to suit the times. WYMAN, No. 1 Portland Block.

TO RENT—LARGE OFFICE, SUITABLE FOR real estate or law office, and furniture for sale, cheap—$700. Apply at Room 18, 146 Dearborn-st.

TO RENT—A STORE 130 FEET DEEP, ON State-st., near Monroe; also three rooms on Clark-st. Inquire, for 2 days, at 125 State-st.

TO RENT—SECOND AND HALF OF FIFTH floors of No. 45 Randolph-st. Apply to FRENCH BROTHERS, 38 Randolph-st.

TO RENT—FOR ONE, TWO, OR THREE years, lofts in the best location in the city, suitable for jobbing or light manufacturing; cheap to a good party. H. H. TOWNE, 65 Lake-st.

TO RENT—ROOM 2, 161 SOUTH CLARK-ST., suitable for an office. Inquire at Rooms 1 and 2.

TO RENT—CORNER STORE ON WEST WASHINGTON-st. 1 fine change for bakery, meat market, grocery, or dry goods. Cheap. BROWN BROS., 136 Monroe-st.

TO RENT—THE BEAUTIFULLY FITTED UP store 350 State-st. Good location. Low rent. Elegant fixtures for sale cheap. Inquire at office.

WANTED—TO RENT.

WANTED—TO RENT—THE WHOLE OR PART of a house, on South side, south of Clark and north of Twenty-fifth st. Address, stating terms and location, W. O. HOFFMAN, Tribune office.

WANTED—TO RENT—A COTTAGE WITH 4 OR 5 rooms, within one mile of the Court House. Small family; no children. Address, with terms and location, J. G., Tribune office.

WANTED—TO RENT—WITHOUT BOARD, A pleasant, furnished room, with closet attached. Must not be west of Wabash-av. or south of Twenty-second-st. Price must be reasonable. Address A M., Tribune office.

WANTED—TO RENT—FROM APRIL 1 OR 15, a cottage house of 6 or 7 rooms, in a respectable neighborhood within fifteen minutes' walk of the Court House. Address, stating terms and location, H. HARGIS, 82 Clark-st.

FINANCIAL.

MONEY TO LOAN IN SUMS OF $500, $1,000, AND less, on short time. Room 5 Major Block.

MONEY TO LOAN—ON CHICAGO REAL ESTATE, for 2 to 5 years. WRIGHT & TYRRELL, Room 8, Metropolitan Block.

MONEY TO LOAN ON SHORT TIME ON COLLATERAL chattels. Mortgages discounted. J. BEVERLY, Room 1, Major Block.

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MONEY TO LOAN ON COLLATERALS, LEASEhold property. Mortgages or real estate discounted. L. H. CARSWELL, 106 Washington-st., basement.

WANTED—$5,000 TO $10,000 FOR A TERM OF 3 to 5 years. Will pay 10 per cent, secured by mortgage on real estate, worth $25,000, free from all incumbrances. For further information address FINANCE, [illegible]

WANTED—TO BORROW $5,000 FOR A TERM of years; will pay 10 per cent and give security [illegible] SMITH & CADWELL, 12 Tribune Building.

$4,000 WANTED FOR 3 OR 5 YEARS ON Chicago real estate. Will pay 10 per cent. [illegible] BALDWIN, WALKER & CO., 3 Otis Block, corner Madison and LaSalle-sts.

$5,000 TO LOAN ON CHICAGO OR Cook County real estate. HOYNE, [illegible] LUFF, 60 Dearborn-st.

$7,000 AND $500 TO LOAN ON CITY property. [illegible] SHELDON, Room 8, Smith & Nixon's Building.

$10,000 TO LOAN, IN SUMS TO SUIT, [illegible] GEO. H. HESS, 161 Clark-st.

$30,000 TO LOAN IN SUMS OF $500 AND upwards [illegible] PHILLIPS, 78 LaSalle-st.

$80,000 TO LOAN ON CITY PROPERTY, [illegible] ALDERSON, 118 Dearborn-st.

STRAYED OR STOLEN.

STOLEN—$25 REWARD—FROM THE MICHIGAN Southern Depot, on Tuesday evening a large wood sled [illegible] D. A. LOMBARD.

CLAIRVOYANTS.

MRS. JORGENSEN, BUSINESS CLAIRVOYANT and Inspirational Counselor, Room 20, 242 South Clark-st.

MADAM MAYNARD AND DR. MATHEW WILL tell of business, love, luck or absent friends, [illegible]

CITY REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—INDIANA-AV., NEAR TWENTY-first-st., first-class frame house, [illegible]

[illegible]

FOR SALE—WESTERN-AV., NEAR KINZIE, [illegible]

FOR SALE—VAN BUREN-ST., EAST OF CLARK, [illegible] SCOVILLE & HARVEY, No. 1 Metropolitan Block.

FOR SALE—CENTRAL BUSINESS PROPERTY. [illegible] SCOVILLE & HARVEY, No. 1 Metropolitan Block.

FOR SALE—A FINE CHANCE FOR HOME ONE [illegible]

FOR SALE—SOUTH PARK-AV., LOT [illegible]

FOR SALE—AT A GREAT BARGAIN, A VERY [illegible]

FOR SALE—WEST MADISON-ST., AT A DECIDED bargain. [illegible] SNYDER & LEE, Real Estate Agents, No. 1 Metropolitan Block.

FOR SALE OR RENT—THREE-STORY AND basement brick house. [illegible] or apply to N. F. GUTTON, 15 and 17 Randolph-st.

FOR SALE—INDIANA-ST.—25 LOTS ON INDIANA-st., [illegible] SNYDER & LEE, Real Estate Agents.

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FOR SALE—WEST WASHINGTON-ST., A TWO-story [illegible] SNYDER & LEE, Real Estate Agents, No. 1 Metropolitan Block.

FOR SALE—WEST WASHINGTON-ST.—A NEW two-story and basement brick house of 12 rooms. [illegible] SNYDER & LEE, Real Estate Agents, Room 1, Metropolitan Block.

FOR SALE—BEST LOT ON NORTH DEARBORN-st., [illegible] Room 17 Shepard's Building.

FOR SALE—HOUSE AND 3 LOTS, CORNER Throop and Calhoun-sts. [illegible] ISAAC WENTWORTH, 66 Clark.

FOR SALE—FIVE YEARS—SIX PER CENT. Good house and lot on Twenty-third-st., McGregor [illegible] ALBERT CRANE, 116 Monroe-st.

FOR SALE—DON'T RENT, BUY A NICE COTtage on monthly payments. [illegible] Dr. HANSON, 237 Twenty-third-st.

FOR SALE—PLEASANT HOUSE WITH TEN acres of garden, 100 fruit trees, and other small fruit [illegible] CLAFLIN BROS., 103 Clark-st.

FOR SALE—ON WARREN-ST., A DESIRABLE brick house, with modern improvements. [illegible] CLAFLIN BROS., 103 Clark-st.

FOR SALE—DOCK PROPERTY—A CHOICE lot on the North Branch, [illegible] SWAY & ROBBINS, 4 Tribune Building.

FOR SALE—A BARGAIN, IF TAKEN IN TWO days, [illegible] WEIL BROTHERS, 105 Madison-st., Major Block.

FOR SALE—$3,000—FRAME COTTAGE AND lot, situate on Carpenter-st., near Fulton; [illegible] CHAS. H. HOLMES, 104 Washington-st.

FOR SALE—WABASH-AV., CHOICE LOTS [illegible] J. ESAIAS WARREN, Room 1.

FOR SALE—STATE-ST., BETWEEN FORTY-sixth and Forty-seventh-sts. [illegible] J. ESAIAS WARREN, 122 Dearborn-st.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—FOR BRICK OR stone residence [illegible] JNO. G. NICHOLSON, 131 Dearborn-st.

FOR SALE—NEW TWO-STORY FRAME HOUSE [illegible] WALKER, 3 Union Building, 114 LaSalle-st.

FOR SALE—RESIDENCE LOTS IN ONE OF the most favorite residence portions of the West Side [illegible] EDWARD O. WALKER, Room 3, Union Building, 114 LaSalle-st.

FOR SALE—FOR ONLY $2,500, THE BEAUTIFUL vacant lot adjoining. Inquire at 26 Dearborn-st.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—A TWO-STORY brick house [illegible] H. F. COY, 166 Washington-st.

FOR SALE—BY SMITH & CADWELL, 12 TRIBUNE Building, splendid water lot on Twelfth-st. bridge, [illegible]

FOR SALE—LINCOLN-ST.—A FRAME HOUSE of 7 rooms, [illegible] SNYDER & LEE, Real Estate Agents, Room 1, Metropolitan Block.

FOR SALE—[illegible] SOUTHEAST [illegible] SNYDER & LEE, Real Estate Agents.

FOR SALE—LOT 50x136 ON WALNUT-ST., BEtween [illegible] JAMES D. ROBERTSON, Room 1, 106 LaSalle-st.

FOR SALE—AT A BARGAIN—25x120, CORNER [illegible] J. H. KEELER, 128 South Clark-st.

FOR SALE—TWO LOTS ON HASTINGS-ST., between Laflin and Reuben-sts. Only $750 each, if sold to-day.

FOR SALE—ADAMS AND WINCHESTER-STS. Lot 25x125. [illegible] SNYDER & LEE, Real Estate Agents, Room 1, Metropolitan Block.

FOR SALE—JACKSON AND PAULINA-STS., [illegible] SNYDER & LEE, Room 1, Metropolitan Block.

FOR SALE—AT A BARGAIN, 50 FT. ON STATE-st., [illegible] HULBURD & CO., 78 LaSalle-st.

SUBURBAN REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—ENGLEWOOD PROPERTY—5 acres block on Sixtieth and Sixty-first-sts. near Englewood Female College, [illegible] SNYDER & LEE, Real Estate Agents, No. 1 Metropolitan Block.

FOR SALE—5 ACRES EAST HALF SOUTH east quarter [illegible]

FOR SALE—AT WOODLAWN, A NEW 2-STORY frame house of 8 rooms, [illegible] HUBBARD, 169 Madison-st., Room 14.

FOR SALE—AT ENGLEWOOD, LOTS 25x125. [illegible]

FOR SALE—AT ENGLEWOOD, 125x130 ON IN-[illegible] property. HULBURD & CO., 78 LaSalle-st.

FOR SALE—40 ACRES ON HALSTED-ST., COR. [illegible] HULBURD & CO., 78 LaSalle-st.

COUNTRY REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—THE NORMANDY PLANTATION, at Baccouril Bend, Point Coupee, known as one of the most productive places in the State, [illegible] of Louisiana, New Orleans.

FOR SALE—BY SMITH & CADWELL, 12 TRIBUNE Building—Fruit farms. A large list of fruit farms near St. Joseph and Benton Harbor, in the great Michigan fruit region. We make this class of lands a specialty. Call and see our lists.

FOR SALE—CHOICE STOCK FARM—IN CARroll County, Iowa, of 1,280 acres; [illegible] GUSTINE, Panora, Guthrie County, Iowa.

FOR SALE—SMALL FARM, 3 MILES FROM Waukegan, [illegible] LARKIN, Waukegan, Ill.

FOR SALE—FARM OF 160 ACRES ON NORTHwestern Railroad [illegible] SWAN & GRIFFIN, Room 13, Uhlich's Block.

FOR SALE—IOWA LANDS—5,000 ACRES OF choice lands [illegible] CHAS. B. HOLMES, 104 Washington-st.

FOR SALE—440 ACRES IN SHERBURN County, Minn.; [illegible] JNO. G. NICHOLSON, 131 Dearborn-st.

REAL ESTATE WANTED.

WANTED—LAND NEAR THE WEST SIDE Central Park or near the Lincoln Park. [illegible]

WANTED—COTTAGES AND LOTS INSIDE the city limits. [illegible] THOMPSON, BRO. & CO., Room 1, Reaper Block, southwest corner of Randolph and LaSalle-sts.

WANTED—HOUSE AND LOT [illegible] JNO. G. NICHOLSON, 131 Dearborn-st.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE—8 OR 10 ROOM House, and lot, within the limits of the Court House [illegible] Room 8, 106 Madison-st.

PARTNERS WANTED.

PARTNER WANTED—A MAN WITH A SMALL capital can invest with one of the finest opportunities of investment in Chicago, by applying to-day, at 95 Dearborn-st., Room 2.

PARTNER WANTED—WITH A CASH CAPITAL of $[illegible] [illegible]

PARTNER WANTED—IN A GRAIN ELEVATOR [illegible] Address UNDERWOOD, Post Office Box 2045, or ELEVATOR, P. O. Box 8,100, New York.

PARTNER WANTED—AN ABLE LAW PARTNER, [illegible] COUNSELOR, 86 South Carpenter-st.

PARTNER WANTED—FOR $800 I WILL SELL [illegible] call at 113 West Madison-st.

HORSES AND CARRIAGES.

FOR SALE—10 HORSES, ONE FINE RIDING pony, [illegible]

FOR SALE—A PAIR OF HEAVY DRAUGHT horses [illegible]

FOR SALE—A LARGE VARIETY OF GOOD and stylish grocery and delivery wagons [illegible]

FOR SALE—TWO HORSES AT A BARGAIN. [illegible]

WANTED—A LIGHT DOUBLE AND SINGLE set of buggy harness. [illegible]

HELP WANTED—MALES.

Miscellaneous.

WANTED—ONE 2-HAND—ONE N AND ONE [illegible] Clark-st., Room 2.

WANTED—ALL THOSE WISHING PAY EMPLOYMENT [illegible]

WANTED—HOME FOR FARM, ALSO BOYS OR [illegible]

WANTED—BY THE SOUTHERN EMIGRATION [illegible] HAWLEY.

WANTED—FOR MISSISSIPPI—FAMILIES [illegible]

WANTED—A BRAKEMAN, PORTER, [illegible] EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 162 East Washington-st.

WANTED—15 SCANDINAVIANS FOR RAILROAD work. [illegible]

WANTED—FIFTY FAMILIES TO GO SOUTH. [illegible]

WANTED—FIFTY FAMILIES TO GO SOUTH. [illegible]

Bookkeepers, Clerks, &c.

WANTED—A SALESMAN IN A HAT, CAP, AND [illegible]

WANTED—WHOLESALE CROCKERY SALESMAN [illegible]

WANTED—SALESMEN FOR CITY AND COUNTRY, [illegible] CAN FURNISH COMPANY, [illegible]

WANTED—A SALESMAN IN A COMMISSION house. [illegible]

WANTED—A THOROUGH DRUGGIST WANTS [illegible]

WANTED—TWO EXPERIENCED AND THREE [illegible]

WANTED—SALESMEN AT O'BRIEN'S ART EMPORIUM, 77 Clark-st.

WANTED—FOR OUR WHOLESALE HOUSE, [illegible] A. A. ADAMS & CO., over 111 South Clark-st.

Trades.

WANTED—A YOUNG MAN WHO HAS HAD A couple of years' experience in running Gordon jobbers [illegible] TOMLINSON BROS., [illegible]

WANTED—DRAUGHTSMAN—A RESPONSIBLE and experienced architectural draughtsman [illegible] ANGELO POWELL & CO., [illegible]

WANTED—A PRACTICAL MACHINIST, ONE who has had experience [illegible] FULLER & CO.'s, [illegible]

WANTED—CARPENTERS—TO BUILD a cheap shop and barn [illegible] L. F. HATHAWAY.

WANTED—TWO EXPERIENCED MEN TO GO into the country to make brick. [illegible]

WANTED—A FEW GOOD CABINET MAKERS at No. 27 North Jefferson-st.

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS TINNER, WHO has $1,000 to invest. Address TINNER, Tribune office.

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS JOURNEYMAN barber, [illegible] PARKER, 95 Monroe-st.

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS WATCHMAKER, [illegible] J. O. BARTEN, 162 State-st.

WANTED—A GOOD PRACTICAL DYER, as a partner. [illegible] address A. McCONNELL, [illegible]

HELP WANTED—FEMALES.

Miscellaneous.

WANTED—A WET NURSE, YOUNG AND healthy German woman to be preferred. Call at 281 Wabash-av., from 3 to 6 p. m.

WANTED—WET NURSE—WILL THE GERMAN [illegible]

WANTED—COOKS, LAUNDRESSES, GIRLS FOR private families, [illegible] INTELLIGENCE OFFICE, 155 East Washington-st., Room 31.

Seamstresses, &c.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED COAT-BASTERS, [illegible] 295 West Lake-st., up stairs.

WANTED—TWO YOUNG LADIES TO GIVE instructions on the Wheeler & Wilson sewing machine. [illegible] W. C. HICK.

WANTED—GIRLS THAT UNDERSTAND THE cutting and making of neckties. [illegible] Room 7.

Housekeepers.

WANTED—A REFINED AMERICAN WOMAN, [illegible] Mrs. WHITE, 164 North Clark-st.

Domestics.

WANTED—AT 498 MICHIGAN-AV., A FIRST-class cook, [illegible]

WANTED—A GOOD COOK AT 638 STATE-ST.

WANTED—A COOK AND DINING-ROOM girl at 261 East Madison-st.

WANTED—A SMART YOUNG GIRL TO ASsist in taking care of children at 126 East Kinzie-st., up stairs.

WANTED—A GIRL TO DO GENERAL HOUSEwork at 280 North Indiana-st.

WANTED—TO-DAY—18 GIRLS FOR GENERAL [illegible]

WANTED—IMMEDIATELY—A TIDY GIRL IN a family of two; she understands ironing and plain cooking. Inquire at 239 North Clark-st.

WANTED—IN PECK-COURT—A GOOD GIRL [illegible]

WANTED—A SMART, ACTIVE GIRL TO DO second work and wait upon table. Inquire at [illegible] Wabash-av.

WANTED—GOOD GIRL TO DO SECOND work and take care of children, at 183 Park-av.

WANTED—A SWEDISH OR ENGLISH GIRL to do second work. [illegible]

WANTED—A GOOD GERMAN GIRL FOR general housework in a small family. [illegible]

WANTED—A GIRL TO DO GENERAL HOUSEwork in a family of two. [illegible]

WANTED—IN A PRIVATE FAMILY, A GIRL to do cooking, washing and ironing. [illegible]

WANTED—A GOOD GIRL TO DO KITCHEN work, and to assist in cooking. Apply at 121 West Lake-st.

WANTED—TO DO GENERAL HOUSEWORK in a family of three [illegible]

WANTED—A MIDDLE-AGED WOMAN TO DO house work for two. [illegible] Inquire at 548 North Clark-st.

WANTED—A GIRL 12 TO 14 YEARS OLD, TO [illegible] MRS. PETERSON, [illegible]

WANTED—A GOOD COOK, GERMAN, SCOTCH, or American preferred. Call at No. 16 East Pearson-st., North Side.

WANTED—A GIRL TO DO THE COOKING AND washing for a private family. [illegible]

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALES.

[illegible]

SITUATION WANTED—BY A YOUNG MAN [illegible]

SITUATION WANTED—AS BOOKKEEPER [illegible]

SITUATION WANTED—BY A YOUNG MAN [illegible]

SITUATION WANTED—IN SOME WHOLESALE [illegible]

SITUATION WANTED—IN ANY CAPACITY [illegible]

SITUATION WANTED—IN A WHOLESALE [illegible]

Trades.

SITUATION WANTED—BY A COMPETENT [illegible]

SITUATION WANTED—BY [illegible]

SITUATION WANTED—TO TAILORS [illegible]

SITUATION WANTED—BY A PRACTICAL [illegible]

SITUATION WANTED—IN A PRIVATE FAMILY [illegible]

Coachmen, &c.

SITUATION WANTED—BY A YOUNG MAN [illegible]

SITUATION WANTED—BY A YOUNG MAN [illegible]

SITUATION WANTED—BY A MAN AND [illegible]

SITUATION WANTED—BY A YOUNG MAN [illegible]

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALES.

Miscellaneous.

SITUATION WANTED—AS COPYIST [illegible]

SITUATION WANTED—BY A GOOD HEALTHY [illegible]

Seamstresses.

SITUATION WANTED—BY A DRESSMAKER, [illegible]

Domestics.

SITUATION WANTED—AS COOK IN PRIVATE family, [illegible]

SITUATION WANTED—BY TWO GIRLS, ONE to cook and the other second girl. [illegible]

SITUATION WANTED—TO DO SECOND WORK [illegible]

SITUATION WANTED—BY A GOOD GIRL, TO do second work or general housework. [illegible]

SITUATION WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE [illegible]

SITUATION WANTED—BY A YOUNG GIRL AS [illegible]

SITUATION WANTED—TO DO GENERAL housework [illegible]

SITUATION WANTED—BY A COOK GIRL IN A private family, [illegible]

SITUATION WANTED—TO DO GENERAL housework in a small private family. [illegible]

SITUATION WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE girl, [illegible]

SITUATION WANTED—BY A GOOD COOK. [illegible]

SITUATION WANTED—BY A GIRL, TO DO second work or take care of children. [illegible]

SITUATION WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE girl to cook, wash and iron. [illegible]

SITUATION WANTED—AN AMERICAN WOMAN wishes to obtain work by the day. [illegible]

SITUATION WANTED—BY A COMPETENT girl to cook, wash and iron, [illegible]

AGENTS WANTED.

AGENTS WANTED—$10 A DAY, TO SELL the Home Shuttle Sewing Machine. [illegible] W. A. HENDERSON & CO., Cleveland, O.

AGENTS WANTED—MEN AND WOMEN OF [illegible] FOSTER & CO., Publishers, 181 West Lake-st., Chicago.

AGENTS WANTED—FOR ZELL'S ENCYCLOPEDIA, [illegible] ZELL'S ENCYCLOPEDIA, 24 West Randolph-st., Chicago.

AGENTS WANTED—SAMPLES FREE—SEND 3 cents for postage, [illegible]

AGENTS WANTED—TO SELL PERSONAL [illegible] HOLLAND & CO., [illegible]

AGENTS WANTED—TO SELL A NEW MAP OF [illegible] BLANCHARD, 146 Lake-st., Chicago.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

A DESIRABLE FLOURING MILL FOR SALE, in the best section of Michigan for wheat [illegible] BAXTER & CO., of this city.

A WELL ESTABLISHED BUSINESS FOR SALE. [illegible] N. M. SIMONDS & CO., 169 Madison-st.

A DESIRABLE DRUG STOCK FOR SALE AT a bargain. [illegible] Rockford, Ill.

A MACHINERY AND MANUFACTURING BUSINESS [illegible]

AT A BARGAIN, A WELL-ESTABLISHED GROcery [illegible]

JEWELLERS, ATTENTION—A CHANCE WITH [illegible]

RARE OPPORTUNITY—THE BEST STEAM [illegible] JOHN MULFANE, Toledo, Kansas.

SMALL STOCK OF READY-MADE CLOTHING, furnishing goods, [illegible]

THE LEASE AND FURNITURE OF THE ADams House [illegible] Aurora, Kane Co., Ill.

TO HOTEL MEN—WANTED, A PARTY, WITH capital, to take a lease [illegible] B. F. COOK, [illegible]

THE FURNITURE, FIXTURES, AND LEASE OF [illegible] UNION REAL ESTATE AGENCY, 177 South Clark-st., Room 13.

TO MILLERS—A SMALL INTEREST IN A good grist and flouring mill [illegible] MALACHI CLAVIN, Dubuque, Iowa.

WE WILL SELL OUR LINSEED OIL WORKS, [illegible] FERGUSON BROS., [illegible]

MISCELLANEOUS.

DIVORCES—IF YOU WANT A LEGAL DIvorce, with right to marry again, on reasonable terms, address P. O. Box 331, Chicago.

DIVORCES LEGALLY OBTAINED WITHOUT publicity and at small expense. [illegible] Address P. O. Box 1037. [illegible]

LEASE OF OFFICE AND FIXTURES FOR SALE, on premises [illegible] CLARK, Manager of the Northwestern Dept. for the National Life Ins. Co., of N. Y.

WANTED—TO BUY FOR CASH, LADIES' AND gentlemen's cast-off clothing. By sending a letter to I. GELDER, 304 South Wells-st., you can find a purchaser.

WANTED—FOR CASH—ANYONE WISHING to sell the whole or a part of their furniture, will apply to C. F. WHEELER, 93 Clark-st.

WANTED—A 20 OR 25 INCH LITHOGRAPHIC press. Address C. BAYER, Tribune office.

WANTED—A DRUG STORE IN GOOD LOCALITY. Address, stating price, H K 145 Madison-st.

WANTED—ALL NERVOUS PERSONS (BOTH sexes) to write or call upon the London Hygienic "SAVATE." Office 119 Jackson-st., corner Fourth-av. Fee, $1. (Copy this.)

WANTED—SITTING OFFICE DESK, SECOND-hand, with pigeon-holes and drawers, in exchange for two lots in Phillips' Subdivision. Address [illegible]

WANTED—TO EXCHANGE.

WANTED—TO EXCHANGE—TIMBER LAND near Jefferson City, Missouri, for cottage centrally located in Chicago. Address P, Tribune office.

WANTED—TO EXCHANGE—A GOOD HOUSE and large lot in Rockford, Illinois; [illegible]

WANTED—TO EXCHANGE—FOR CITY PROPerty, a two-story brick house, with barn; [illegible]

WANTED—TO EXCHANGE—200 ACRES improved farm lands in Iowa [illegible] J. TEMPLE & SONS, [illegible]

WANTED—TO EXCHANGE—A WELL IMproved farm [illegible] IRA BROWN & CO., 90 Dearborn-st., Room 1.

WANTED—TO EXCHANGE—UNIMPROVED city property [illegible] IRA BROWN & CO., 90 Dearborn-st.

WANTED—TO EXCHANGE—IMPROVED property for improved farms in Illinois. IRA BROWN & CO., 90 Dearborn-st., Room 1.

WANTED—TO EXCHANGE—VALUABLE suburban property [illegible] IRA BROWN & CO., 90 Dearborn-st.

WANTED—TO EXCHANGE—$25,000 TO $30,000 [illegible]

WANTED—TO EXCHANGE—A LOT ON SOUTH Side [illegible]

WANTED—TO EXCHANGE—HOUSE AND lot for [illegible] BALDWIN DAVIS, 140 Madison-st.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—ON SUNDAY, MARCH 6, BETWEEN the Seventh Presbyterian Church and [illegible] Mrs. E. STRAUT.

LOST—ON THE 4TH, A LARGE-SIZED BLACK and tan dog, [illegible]

LOST—SATURDAY EVENING, ON STATE-ST., a gold ring, [illegible]

LOST—$25 REWARD—ON THE 5TH INST., [illegible]

LOST—MARCH 5, A POCKETBOOK CONTAINing [illegible]

FOUND—ON SATURDAY AFTERNOON, A [illegible]

TAKEN UP—MARCH 4, ONE SORREL MARE, 7 years old [illegible]

PERSONAL.

PERSONAL—MRS. JOHN MILLER (FORMERLY [illegible]

PERSONAL—A LETTER WILL REACH ME addressed HATTIE P. M. BOYNTON, city P. O.

PERSONAL—A YOUNG MAN DESIRES THE acquaintance of several young ladies. [illegible]

BOARDING AND LODGING.

13 ADAMS-ST.—FURNISHED ROOMS, WITH board, three minutes' walk from Madison, between the two theatres. Day boarders accommodated.

18 THIRD-AV., TWO BLOCKS FROM POST office—Pleasant rooms, gas, closets, bath-room, etc., with good board [illegible]

24 ABERDEEN-ST.—ELEGANT SUITE OF rooms, furnished, with board, [illegible]

81 WEST HINSDALE-ST., NEAR NORTH LA Salle [illegible]

106 SOUTH SANGAMON-ST.—BOARD IN A private family for two ladies or gentlemen. References required.

127 SOUTH HALSTED-ST.—A NICELY-FURnished room [illegible]

160 EAST ADAMS-ST.—GOOD ROOMS, WITH board [illegible]

199 MICHIGAN-AV.—FURNISHED ROOMS, [illegible]

214 WEST WASHINGTON-ST.—A HANDsome front room [illegible]

216 WEST WASHINGTON-ST.—A FRONT room, with alcove, to gentleman and wife. [illegible]

220 AND 222 WEST LAKE-ST., CORNER OF Green. [illegible]

231 WABASH-AV.—TO RENT—FRONT PARlor [illegible]

248 WABASH-AV.—A LARGE ROOM, SUITable for [illegible]

266 AND 268 WEST RANDOLPH-ST.—TWO single rooms [illegible]

268 WABASH-AV.—ROOMS SUITABLE FOR [illegible]

348 WABASH-AV.—ONE NICE UNFURNISHED room [illegible]

366 OHIO-ST.—FAMILIES WHO WANT TO [illegible]

370 STATE-ST.—GOOD BOARD AND PLEASANT rooms [illegible]

467 MICHIGAN-AV.—A LARGE FRONT room [illegible]

MICHIGAN-AV., NEAR SIXTEENTH-ST.—A [illegible]

BOARD WANTED.

BOARD—A LADY DESIRES BOARD WITH [illegible]

BOARD—FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED [illegible] Address P. O. Drawer [illegible]

TO LEASE.

TO LEASE—LUMBER OR COAL YARD, [illegible] JAMES CALLON & BRO.

WASHINGTON.

The Bill Relative to Bonded Whiskey Reported Unfavorably in the Senate.

The House Georgia Bill Reported Favorably by the Senate Committee.

Progress in the Senate on the Funding Bill.

Quesada's Flattering Tale Concerning Affairs in Cuba.

The New Tax Bill.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 8.

[illegible]

THE TEXAS QUESTION

will soon make its appearance in Congress. The Judiciary Committee of the Senate will take it up and report. [illegible]

THE TENNESSEE QUESTION

does not attract much attention yet, because few persons believe that the Reconstruction Committee will really recommend a reconstruction of the State. [illegible]

INDIAN AFFAIRS.

The House Committee on Indian Affairs has determined to prepare a single bill covering all legislation deemed necessary upon the Indian question. [illegible]

ELECTION CASE.

[illegible]

THE GENERAL APPROPRIATION BILL.

The House Appropriation Committee has about finished the General Appropriation bill [illegible]

THE TAX BILL.

The Ways and Means Committee have given very exclusive to [illegible]

THE CADETSHIP BUSINESS.

The House Military Committee examined two witnesses concerning the report that Cadetships, of New York, had sold his cadetship. The committee found no shadow of truth in the charge and concluded that the story had been prompted solely by malice.

THE ARMY BILL.

General Logan has finally got his bill for the reduction and partial reorganization of the army before the House, and will, to-morrow, deliver a long speech in support of its provisions.

SPECIE PAYMENT

has been resumed here to a considerable extent, many business houses giving silver for change on all purchases.

POSTAL ITEM.

Special Agent Baldwin, of the Post Office Department, for Ohio, has secured an order for the transmission of way mails on a fast express, with through mails for all points on the lines between Cincinnati and Cleveland, and Cincinnati and Pittsburgh, and on the Central Ohio Road.

TO THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.

NOMINATION.

WASHINGTON, March 8.—Hon. J. Walsh has been nominated for Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Idaho.

QUESADA VISITS THE PRESIDENT.

General Quesada paid his respects to the President [illegible]

APPROPRIATION BILLS.

The Committee on Appropriations are ready to report the General Appropriation bill. [illegible]

THE PRESIDENT AT THE CAPITOL.

The President spent several hours in the President's Room at the Capitol to-day, in conversation with Senators. [illegible]

[illegible]

NEW INDIAN POLICY.

The House Committee on Indian Affairs, at its meeting to-day, [illegible]

FORTY-FIRST CONGRESS.

SENATE.

WASHINGTON, March 8.

FOREIGN RELATIONS.

Mr. FERRY presented a petition, and made some remarks relative to illegal imprisonment by the Dominican Government, of Davis Hatch, a merchant of Santo Domingo, and an American citizen [illegible]

[illegible]

Mr. SUMNER inquired whether the Senator had any information to make to the committee.

[illegible]

Mr. WILLIAMS, from the Committee on Commerce, [illegible]

[illegible]

Mr. THAYER [illegible]

Mr. SHERMAN [illegible]

Mr. MORRILL [illegible]

Mr. CONKLING opposed the [illegible]

Mr. STOCKTON [illegible]

Mr. SCOTT [illegible]

Mr. WILLIAMS [illegible]

Mr. FOWLER [illegible]

Mr. MORRILL, of Vt., [illegible]

[illegible]

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Mr. DAWES, from the Committee [illegible]

Mr. VAN TRUMP objected.

[illegible]

Mr. MUNGEN [illegible]

Mr. JENCKES objected.

Mr. GARFIELD offered [illegible]

Mr. SCOFIELD introduced a joint resolution for the advancement of naval officers for distinguished services. Referred.

THE AIR-LINE RAILROAD.

The bill for an air-line railroad between New York and Washington came up as the morning hour. [illegible]

Mr. COX raised a point. [illegible]

Mr. INGERSOLL [illegible]

Mr. GARFIELD, from the Committee [illegible]

Mr. MORGAN [illegible]

Mr. JENCKES [illegible]

Mr. LOGAN [illegible]

Mr. STOKES, from the Committee [illegible]

[illegible]

Mr. LOGAN [illegible]

The House, at 4 o'clock, adjourned.